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## ANGLO-FRENCH STRATEGY IN FAR EAST

### IMPORTANT STAFF TALKS AT SINGAPORE TO-DAY

#### Pooling Of War Materials Will Be Discussed

#### NAVAL BASE FOR USE BY FRANCE AND OTHER FRIENDLY POWERS

SINGAPORE, JUNE 21 (REUTER).—THE CO-ORDINATION OF BRITISH AND FRENCH STRATEGY IN THE FAR EAST WILL BE DISCUSSED AT THE MOST IMPORTANT DEFENCE CONFERENCE EVER HELD IN FAR EASTERN TERRITORY, WHICH OPENS HERE TO-MORROW.

The British delegates include Admiral Sir Percy Noble, Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, Air Marshal Sir Philip Joubert de la Ferté, Air Officer Commanding R.A.F. in India, Air Vice-Marshal John T. Babington, Air Officer Commanding R.A.F. in the Far East, Major-General A. E. Grasett, General Officer Commanding the British Troops in China, and a number of high Staff Officers from India, Burma, Ceylon, Malaya and Hongkong.

The French delegates include the Commander-in-Chief, Vice-Admiral Decoux, the General Officer Commanding the French Troops in Indo-China, Lt.-Gen. Martin and Col. Devez, French Air Staff Officer.

Altogether 80 officers will be attending.

The talks were planned before the present situation in China arose but naturally particular significance attaches in view of recent developments.

The United States and the Netherlands are not represented but it is believed that close contact is being maintained with them in view of their close interest in the Pacific.

The conference will last at least a week and it is understood that the subjects under discussion include plans for refitting and commissioning French warships and those of other friendly Powers at the Singapore Naval Base, and for the pooling of British and French war materials in the event of war.

### Chamberlain On Latest Situation

#### STATEMENT IN COMMONS

LONDON, June 21 (Reuter).—Replying to a series of questions in the House of Commons relating to the situation in Tientsin, the Prime Minister, Mr. Chamberlain, said that barrier restrictions remained the same. Four British subjects had been stripped and searched but no further incidents were reported in the latest telegram from the Consul-General.

As regards stocks of food there were ample supplies of flour and rice in Tientsin. Arrivals of perishable foodstuffs remained spasmodic and far below normal. There appeared to be no ban on foodstuffs entering the Concession but considerable delay was caused by searches at the barriers.

#### Shipping Improved

As regards shipping, matters had considerably improved and ships using the river latterly had not been stopped. Various incidents which marked the blockade had been taken up by Sir Robert Craigie in Tokyo with the Japanese Foreign Minister who had instituted enquiries into the various cases of discrimination and ill-treatment brought to his notice.

The Japanese Government's position on the main issues was still not clear but Mr. Chamberlain expected to hear further on the matter to-day or to-morrow.

Mr. Chamberlain added that rather more than one-half of the British garrison in North China was now stationed in Tientsin.

### AUSTRALIA ORDERS POWERFUL PLANES

CANBERRA, June 21 (Reuter).—The Australian Minister for Defence stated that the Australian Government had placed a number of orders for powerful fighters from Britain which were at present on the secret list.

The type of planes would be well advanced to those in any part of the Dominions.

Mr. F. G. Wodehouse, the famous writer, received the degree of Doctor of Literature, from Oxford University yesterday. (Reuter).

### NEW AIR RAID SHELTER FOR 1,200 PERSONS

Dr. David Anderson, eminent engineer in a lecture to the Institution of Civil Engineers, disclosed that heavily protected air raid shelters to accommodate 1,200 persons and capable of resisting a direct hit of a 500 lb. high explosive bomb, had been designed by the panel of experts formed by the Institution at the request of the Home Office.

In a shelter to accommodate 1,200 persons the entrances had been arranged to provide for occupation within one and a quarter minutes. The cost estimates of the approved designs for such shelters were about £7½ per person.—(BWS).



"My Sister, Dost See Anyone Coming?" Sister Ann (on balcony).—Ay, marry, that I do, a champion strong enough to help pull the whiskers off Bluebeard there if he starts any of his rough stuff. (The Bulletin, Glasgow)

## Japanese Effect Initial Landing Near Swatow: Tokyo Declares China Coast Blockade Strengthened

TOKYO, June 21 (Reuter).—Japanese warships got within two miles of Swatow at 1.15 o'clock this morning, according to a communique of the navy section of Imperial Headquarters saying that the warships were steadily pushing towards the town removing booms and sweeping mines.

The initial landing near Swatow was effected by 300 to 500 men, according to a Hongkong message, adding that after encountering considerable resistance the Japanese were reported to have achieved their objective after which vanguards pushed inland apparently intending to encircle the city cutting the railway from Swatow to Chua Chau, 27 miles inland.

A naval communique issued in Tokyo says that the transports participating in the landing were accompanied by the South China Fleet, under Adm. Kondah.

Japanese forces have also completely occupied all islands dominating Swatow.

An Admiralty spokesman stated that the landing would further strengthen the Japanese blockade of the China coast. He maintained that Chiang Kai-shek was getting arms from abroad through Swatow.

A Foreign Office spokesman said that the policy of respecting the rights and interests of third Powers remains unchanged.

#### TROOPS ADVANCING

TOKYO, June 21 (T/Ocean).—A communique issued from Imperial Headquarters confirms reports about the landing of Japanese troops near Swatow, Chinese port situated between Hongkong and Amoy. Japanese troops, it is added, are advancing into the interior of China. The Japanese Foreign Office, in a statement issued to-day, says that the landing bears merely a military character and will not affect the rights and interests of their parties.

Japan sincerely hopes that third Powers will appreciate its real intentions and avoid anything which may give rise to unforeseen incidents.

Later Imperial Headquarters issued a further statement saying that with the sealing up of Canton, Amoy and Swatow, it will now be possible to carry out an effective blockade of the South China coast. The landing of Japanese troops near Swatow means the closing of an important line of communication used to supply Chiang Kai-shek with war materials.

#### LANDING CONFIRMED

The Japanese landing at Swatow yesterday morning was confirmed by a reliable source later in the day.

H.M.S. Thanet is at present in Swatow.

#### COMPLETELY OCCUPIED

TOKYO, June 21 (Reuter).—The main body of Japanese forces has completely occupied Swatow, according to a communique issued from the army section of the Imperial Headquarters.

The Japanese vanguard, the

communique added, was then at Anpow, 7½ miles north of Swatow.

#### MUCH IMPORTANCE

TOKYO, June 21 (Reuter).—Military quarters regard the occupation of the treaty port of Swatow as of considerable importance on the ground that Swatow replaced Hongkong as a route through which the Chiang Kai-shek regime were able to get arms and send exports abroad since the fall of Canton.

It is declared that Swatow has been maintaining a prosperous foreign trade whose importance was second only to Shanghai and Tientsin.

It is alleged recently all war supplies destined for the interior had been transhipped to Hongkong for Swatow, and Hanoi whither they were carried in foreign vessels.

#### MASU CAPTURED

SWATOW, June 21 (Reuter).—The Japanese have seven destroyers in the harbour. Masu was captured at 8.30 a.m. and many planes are bombing and machine-gunning the city which is still in Chinese hands. All the foreigners are safe.

## PIRATES LEAVE NIM WAN

### WARNING TO SHIPPING

Police Headquarters yesterday issued the following message:—

INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY POLICE THAT A GANG OF 13 PIRATES HAS LEFT NIM WAN WITH THE INTENTION OF COMMITTING A PIRACY ON BOARD A STEAMER, RUNNING BETWEEN HONGKONG AND MACAO OR ON A COASTAL STEAMER LEAVING EITHER OF THESE PORTS.

### PASSENGER JUNK BOARDED

Pirates boarded a passenger junk off Mong Tseng Point in Deep Bay, British Waters, on Tuesday. Twelve passengers aboard were robbed of their money and belongings when the five robbers made a thorough search of the vessels that lasted 30 minutes.

Two of the pirates were armed with rifles, and the other three, there being five in all, had smaller firearms. They had hauled the passing junk from a small oyster-boat, and they did not rob the master of the junk, Au Ping, of either money or his boat.

Au, in his report to the police, described the oyster-boat as being about 30 yds. in length, and was last seen sailing away in the direction of Nam Tau.

Au, who is 38, told the police he left Au Long at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon with 12 passengers for Sha Tsui in Po On district, where he also is resident. The piracy occurred about 3 o'clock. The robbers had hauled him from the oyster-boat and had fired a shot at him. The registration number of Au's junk is 4819.

### WORKING HOURS OF COALMINERS

The International Labour Conference yesterday decided to postpone the question of shortening the working hours of coalminers until an improvement in the international situation allows a more comprehensive discussion of the problem.

It is pointed out that many Governments at present, in view of the special conditions prevailing in their countries owing to the necessity to give rearmament and national defence needs pre-eminence, are unable to agree to shortening the working hours of coalminers.—(Transocean).

### KING PLAYS CRICKET FOR THE NAVY

LONDON, June 21 (Reuter).—The Empress of Britain, with the King and Queen and the Royal party on board, is well up on time and expects to pass Bishop's Rock early to-morrow.

Yesterday the King played cricket on the sports deck and battled well for the Navy against the Rest. One of the sailors made a boundary well out into the Atlantic.

In the evening Their Majesties attended cinema. Those on board had a good view of the Empress of Australia which took the King and Queen to Canada when it was eight miles astern of the Empress of Britain.

### King's Jockey Missing In Plane

LONDON, June 21 (Transocean).—Mystery surrounds the disappearance of J. Crouch, the first jockey of the King's racing stable. Crouch had chartered an aeroplane on Tuesday, at Heston, for Newcastle to participate in the races there on Wednesday.

Shortly after the start, the ground station lost touch with the machine. Several planes of the Royal Air Force were searching for the plane on Tuesday evening without any result. On Tuesday night the British broadcasting stations appealed to listeners for information.

The machine used by Crouch belonged to the British-American Air Service.

#### HEAVY FOG

LONDON, June 21 (Reuter).—There is no news of the plane, missing in northern England since yesterday, in which the King's jockey and two other passengers were flying. A search, begun early to-day, was abandoned owing to bad weather, and will be continued when the weather improves.

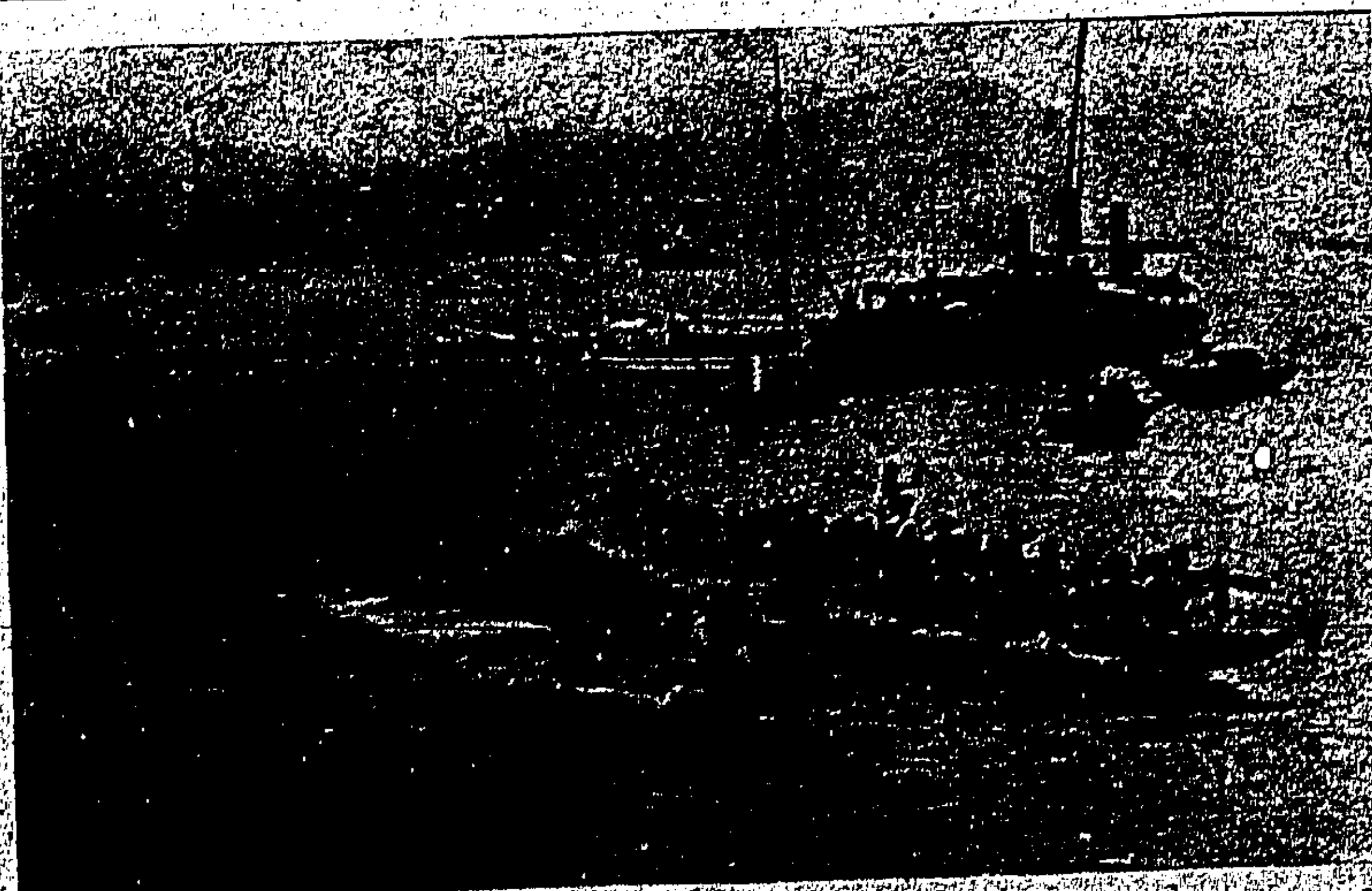
The plane was flying over Yorkshire to Northumberland in heavy fog.

During a struggle with a gang of coolies in the New Territories on Tuesday night, a Chinese detective, attached to Sham Shu Police Station, had his revolver taken away from him.

### SURVEY FLIGHT

MOBASA, June 21 (Reuter).—The flying-boat Guba arrived at Mobasa from the Seychelles Islands completing the survey flight for the alternate route from Australia to Britain. She completed the journey in four stops and the last section was accomplished in seven hours.

## Annual Dragon Boat Race Festival



THE DRAGON BOAT RACE in progress yesterday afternoon. The festival was celebrated by the Chung Shing Benevolent Society, which a very large crowd attended including His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, who saw a dragon boat for the first time. Sir Robert Kotewall, Hon. Mr. W. J. Carrle and Hon. Mr. E. Calne. The Aberdeen entry won the competition. (Photo: Mee Cheung)

## AUXILIARY EMERGENCY CORPS IS BEING FORMED IN TIENTSIN

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### Will Consist Entirely Of Britons, Unarmed

TIENTSIN, JUNE 21 (REUTER).—THE BRITISH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL IS FORMING AN AUXILIARY EMERGENCY CORPS consisting entirely of Britons who will be unarmed and will wear distinguishing armbands. They will probably confine their duties to the maintenance of essential services.

The Chairman of the Council told Reuter that only one Chinese policeman out of 700 had hitherto resigned as a result of the Japanese threat.

A semi-official Japanese report says that the vegetable peddlers have decided to boycott the British Concession.

The markets in the blockaded areas are at present a dismal sight with a total absence of meat.

The British authorities are doing everything possible to encourage business.

#### THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 14 2 11/16d.

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 28½

From Our Own Correspondent

London, June 21.

London silver prices to-day were down 1/8 as follows:—

Spot 19 5/8 19

Forward 19 15/16 19 15/16



# In the World of Sports

## LAWN BOWLS NOTES

### Surprise Win Of Yacht Club Only Upset Last Week

### Senior Games Go As Expected With Close Results Seen

The defeat of the Hongkong Football Club at the hands of the Yacht Club in the Third Division provided the only upset in the League matches decided last Saturday—the results in the other matches being more or less expected. Prior to this match, the Hongkong Football Club had had a 100 per cent. record and were leading in the League Table, but as a result of this defeat they have been deposed by the Kowloon C.C. who, though having the same number of points as the H.K.F.C., have been placed at the head of the Table as they are up by more shots.

Though two of the Yacht Club skips won their games, it is A. W. Brown's performance which catches the eye. He beat V. Walker easily by 30-18. Included in his 30 shots were a five and two fours. B. E. Maugham, too, won for the Yacht Club, but his was only a one shot victory over J. Russell. G. E. Costello lost to H. Pegg by 18-20.

The victory of the Indian R.C. over the Kowloon Docks in the First Division at Hung-hom may be regarded as a surprise in some quarters, but I had expected them to win in spite of their failure the Saturday before against the Recreation "B". In the same match last year, the Docks beat the Indians who had practically the same rinks then.

But I think the Indians have improved considerably this year and hence, in spite of their reverse against the Portuguese, I had tipped them off to win and they haven't disappointed me.

The Indians won with only four shots to spare. They were up on two rinks, A. K. Minu and M. R. Abbas beating R. Morrison and J. Kempton by the scores of 27-15 and 28-21 respectively. This lead of 19 shots covered A. R. Dallah's deficit of 15 shots against H. G. Cooper and enabled them to win by four shots.

As can be imagined by the closeness of the scores, the game was exciting, especially so towards the end when both Minu and Abbas had played their 21 heads and established a lead of 19 shots. At the end of the 19th head Dallah was 10-29 down to Cooper, which meant that the scores were level on all rinks.

On the following head, Dallah was lying one, when in an endeavour to push it away, Cooper most unfortunately took the jack instead into the ditch to give his opponent three shots and the game virtually, as he needed four shots to win on the last head.

On the following head Dallah was sitting on the spillo, as it were, and, being content with a second shot, could afford to manoeuvre for position. However, he had one on the last head. In spite of two attempts to trail the jack (that being the only chance left for victory) Cooper failed.

#### RECREIO'S SQUEAK

Those who had expected the Champions, Recreation "A" to win comfortably against the Civil Service C.C. who, by the way, have not earned a single point so far, must have been given a rude shock to see the Portuguese win by only nine shots. The Civil Servants put up such a stiff resistance that they might easily have won had J. Hollidge put up a better performance against H. A. Alves.

J. Deakin held the redoubtable C. G. Silva to a 10-all tie and H. Strange who had M. Rakusen's place as skip did very well indeed to beat F. X. Silva by 27-17, but Hollidge let down his team badly by being 7-28 down to Alves. As a result of his tie against Deakin, C. G. Silva, though still unbeaten, has lost his 100 per cent. skip's record. Down by 14-19 on the 20th head, he scored five shots on the last head to draw level.

**LIKEWISE CRAIGENGOWER**—In their home match the Craigenower C.C. who had been expected to dispose of the Police R.C. easily, had the fright of their lives. They won with only two shots to spare, thanks to B. W. Bradbury who beat J. Orem by 20-16 and U. M. Omar who had the better of J. Pender by 16-11. E. Bass lost to A. E. Carey by 15-22.

## LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE

### Some Selections For Saturday

The following are some clubs' selections for lawn bowls league matches this Saturday:—

**CLUB DE RECREIO**  
1st Division—"A" v. "B"  
"A"—C. M. Silva, J. F. V. Ribeiro, L. J. Silva, F. X. M. Silva, J. Luz, A. P. Guterres, R. F. Luz, H. A. Alves; L. F. Xayler, C. E. Marques, J. E. Noronha, C. G. Silva.  
"B"—J. C. Remedios, A. M. Xavier, C. R. Pereira, B. Basto; C. C. Pereira, D. C. Alves, A. A. Remedios, F. X. Soares, F. A. Machado, C. H. Basto, F. V. V. Ribeiro, J. J. Basto.

Several matches in the second round of the Rinks Championship were played off on Sunday. By far the most interesting game was the one on the Civil Service green in which B. W. Bradbury's rink (J. W. Leonard, K. M. Omar and A. E. Coates) beat a Recreation rink (J. C. Remedios, C. C. Pereira, O. P. Remedios and E. de Souza) by one shot after playing an extra head.

Down by 12-18 on the 19th head, the losers did extremely well to score six shots on the last two heads to draw level. Indeed, so gallantly did Souza's rink play that they might have won the match on the 21st head as they were laying the four shots necessary for victory, but, amidst tense excitement, Bradbury with his last wood came in for the fourth shot to tie the scores at 18 all, thus necessitating an extra head to be played in which Bradbury scored one.

M. R. Abbas' rink (J. Hoosen, A. Bakar and A. O. Madar) which disposed of last year's champions (Carlos Silva's four) bowed in defeat to U. M. Omar's rink (W. J. Penny, A. A. Razack and A. M. Omar) at the Hongkong Football Club by the scores of 29-15.

Play seldom reached a high standard, due probably to the very fast and tricky green to which few of the bowlers could adapt themselves. The success of Omar's rink, however, can be attributed to the fact that his front men played a more consistent game than Abbas'. I was at the Police Club when H. E. Strange's rink played J. G. Meyers (R. P. Phillips, H. J. Bicknell and J. S. Logan). Thinking that it was all over bar the shouting when Meyer was leading by 13-4, I left. Imagine my surprise when I was told later that Strange had staged a wonderful recovery to beat Meyer by 19-14.

**MINUS POSSIBLE**  
I see that A. R. Dallah and A. K. Minu had swapped places in their rink game against T. A. Madar and his men. Perhaps Dallah was feeling under the weather and was therefore not equal to the task of skipping. He certainly had not been at his best the previous day when H. G. Cooper gave him a walloping.

However, the match between Minu and Madar, to all intents and purposes was a walk-over for the former who won easily by 38-13. Included in Minu's 38 shots were a possible and a seven.

**OPEN PAIRS**  
In scoring 46 shots against W. J. Howard and R. Gittins at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club on Monday, J. E. Noronha and C. G. Silva have created a new record for the season. This aggregate better by one shot E. Kilmann and W. J. Burling's score of 45 made a few weeks ago against C. W. Lam and F. X. Delgado.

Noronha and Silva led all the way through the game in the course of which they collected five fives and two fours. Howard and Gittins could only manage 14 shots.

C. M. Silva and F. X. Soares, the champions, eliminated a very strong pair in S. Eccleshall and A. W. Grimmer on the Craigenower green by the scores of 24-17.

Each pair taking the lead in turn, the game was full of excitement and it was touch and go until the 9th head. After that the losers fell off to allow the Portuguese pair to forge ahead and eventually win by seven shots.

**INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW**  
Italy Wins Gold Challenge Cup  
LONDON, June 21 (Reuter).—At the International Horse Show, Lieut. Col. Alessandro Bertoni, of Italy, riding a fourteen-year-old chestnut gelding, Adalat, won the King George the Fifth Gold Challenge Cup after a jump off with Capt. Bizard, of France, riding a ten-year-old black gelding, Honduras, on whom he won the cup two years ago.

Capt. W. F. Butler, riding a ten-year-old chestnut mare, Big Sweep, was the best English competitor, with four faults.

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### THIS WEEK'S GAMES

#### Recreio Sides Meet Each Other

This week-end, Recreation "A" will meet their Club-mates, Recreation "B" and should win. Craigenower, the Police R.C. and the Kowloon C.C. will be at home to Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Kowloon Docks and Civil Service C.C. respectively and each home team should collect two more points.

Craigenower's second team should not be hard put to it to maintain their 100 per cent. record in their away match against the Kowloon Bowling Green Club.

The Kowloon F.C. also playing away, will have the Civil Servants as their opponents and should win. The Hongkong Football Club and Talkoo R.C. both playing at home, will meet and should defeat Kowloon Tong and Police R.C. respectively.

In the Third Division, the Yacht Club will have a stiff game against Kowloon Bowling Green Club, but in view of their unexpected success last week against the strong Hongkong Football Club I am tipping them off for a win.

Recreio, Kowloon Football Club and Hongkong Football Club should all win against the Prison Officers Club, Kowloon C.C. and the Hongkong Electric respectively.

**First Division**  
CRAIGENGOWER v. Kloon B.G.C.  
RECREIO "B" v. RECREIO "A"  
POLICE R.C. v. Kowloon Docks  
KOWLOON C.C. v. Civil Service

**Second Division**  
Kloon B.G.C. v. CRAIGENGOWER  
Civil Service v. KOWLOON F.C.  
HONGKONG F.C. v. Kowloon Tong  
TALKOO R.C. v. Police R.C.

**Third Division**  
Prison Officers Club v. RECREIO  
KOWLOON F.C. v. Kowloon C.C.  
YACHT CLUB v. Kowloon H.G.C.  
Electric R.C. v. HONGKONG F.C.

## H.B. DARTS LEAGUE

### RESULTS OF MATCHES TO DATE

The following are the results of matches to date in the H.B. Darts League:—

**Imperial "B" v. Embassy**  
Westgate 0 Baulch 2  
Stevens 2 Robson 1  
Valentine 2 King 1  
Cheek 0 Smith 2  
Diaper 2 Baxter 0

Points 3 Points 2  
Highest finish: Robson 47  
Highest score: Cheek 112

**Embassy v. Imperial "B"**  
Baxter 0 Diaper 2  
Smith 2 Stevens 1  
King 2 Westgate 1  
Robson 1 Valentine 2  
Baulch 1 Cheek 2

Points 2 Points 3  
Highest finish: Westgate 36  
Highest score: Cheek 100

**R.A.O.B. "B" v. Imperial "A"**  
Davies 2 Coomer 0  
Lumby 2 Gribble 1  
Little 1 Pearson 2  
Evans 0 Howe 2  
Redman 2 Whitehouse 1

Points 3 Points 2  
Highest finish: Whitehouse 78  
Highest score: Howe 132

**Embassy v. R.A.O.B. "B"**  
Baulch 2 Carter 0  
Hurlow 2 Lumby 1  
Baxter 1 Davies 2  
Clifford 2 Reynolds 0  
Smith 0 Little 0

Points 3 Points 2  
Highest finish: Clifford 29  
Highest score: Baulch 101

**R.A.O.B. "B" v. Embassy**  
Carter 2 Baxter 1  
Lumby 0 Robson 2  
Davies 1 Clifford 2  
Little 2 Baulch 1  
Reynolds 1 Hurlow 2

Points 2 Points 3  
Highest finish: Davies 84  
Highest score: Reynolds 129

**LEAGUE TABLE TO DATE**

Imperial "A" P. W. L. Pts.  
..... 11 35 20 35  
R.A.O.B. "A" ..... 10 29 21 29  
M.T.B. "B" ..... 10 24 26 24  
Embassy ..... 10 24 26 24  
R.A.O.B. "B" ..... 11 21 34 21  
Imperial "B" ..... 9 20 25 20  
M.T.B. "A" ..... 7 17 18 17

### Sporting Fixtures

#### TO-DAY

BRIDGE—Cheero Club Contract Bridge Lessons.  
TENNIS—D Division (1), Kowloon Tong v. Y.M.C.A., Indians B v. Kowloon Dock, Kowloon v. Kowloon Indians, D Division (2), Chinese v. Radio-Postal Sports, Civil Service v. Recreation, South China v. Indians A.

**TO-MORROW**  
BADMINTON—Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.  
LAWN BOWLS—Pairs championship, first round, P. McCarty and P. Morgan v. J. C. Remedios and C. C. Pereira; J. W. MacDonald and H. Brown v. S. M. White and A. J. Hall; J. V. Ramsey and R. Lapsley v. G. C. Moss and W. Hollands (at Kowloon C.C.); J. B. Haddell and J. C. Aitken v. J. Hoosen and A. R. Minu (at Craigenower).

**SWIMMING**—Y.M.C.A. Mixed Swimming, 4 p.m.  
TENNIS—Mixed Doubles, Hong Kong v. Chinese, Kowloon A v. Recreation, United Services v. Ladies.

## LEAGUE TENNIS

### RECREIO DEFEAT CRAIGENGOWER

#### Central British Lose At King's Park

Playing at the Craigenower Cricket Club, Club de Recreio defeated the home team by eight sets to one in the "C" division of the Tennis League yesterday.

S. L. Leonard and E. S. Howard (C.C.C.) lost to G. Noronha and H. Noronha 2-6, lost to A. M. Remedios and L. Carvalho 1-6, lost to J. C. Fonseca and M. A. Guterres 4-6.

H. King and P. C. Yt (C.C.C.) lost to Noronha and Noronha 4-6, lost to Remedios and Carvalho 3-6, lost to Fonseca and M. A. Guterres 4-6.

N. L. Leonard and Lee Whua Kek (C.C.C.) beat Noronha and Noronha 6-3, lost to Remedios and Carvalho 5-7, lost to Fonseca and Guterres 1-6.

**RADIO'S EASY WIN**  
At King's Park, the Central British Association lost to the Radio and Postal R.C. by 8 sets to 1.

G. E. Fowler and N. Whitley (C.B.A.) lost to D. Leonard and Au Kam Moon 1-6, lost to G. Singh and W. J. Chanson 0-6, lost to M. Sheriff and C. M. Lee 3-6.

J. Sloan and D. T. Smith (C.B.A.) lost to Leonard and Au 3-6, lost to Singh and Chanson 2-6, beat Sheriff and Lee 8-4.

M. Yatskin and Karpusheff (C.B.A.) lost to Leonard and Au 0-6, lost to Singh and Chanson 3-6, lost to Sheriff and Lee 3-6.

**CHINESE DERBY**  
Playing at home, the South China A.A. beat the Chinese R.C. by 5 sets to 4.

S. O. Khoo and F. Liu (S.C.A.A.) beat G. Li and O. L. Pang 7-5, beat S. L. Ma and F. K. Lau 6-1, beat T. L. Yu and G. N. Tsang 6-4.

H. T. Bee and T. K. Leung (S.C.A.A.) lost to Li and Pang 2-6, beat Ma and Lau 6-4, lost to Yu and Tsang 0-6.

H. S. Lee and C. L. Lau (S.C.A.A.) lost to Li and Pang 3-6, lost to Ma and Lau 4-6, beat Yu and Tsang 6-2.

**INDIANS LOSE 3-6**  
Playing on their own courts at Sookunpoo, Indian R.C. were beaten by six sets to three by Kowloon Tong.

A. R. Kitchell and A. M. Rum-jahn (I.R.C.) lost to Henry Lin and Edward Lee 2-6, beat Lam Kwan and H. Y. Hsu 6-1, lost to W. H. Lee 6-3.

S. A. R. Bux and H. Kitchell (I.R.C.) lost to Lin and Lee 5-7, lost to Lam and Hsu 3-6, beat Wei and Lee 6-3.

## U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

### NEW YORK, June 21 (Reuter).—The following are the results of matches played yesterday in the Major League:—

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn ..... R. H. E.  
..... 2 8 0  
Cincinnati ..... 4 10 1  
Camilli homered for the Dodgers.  
Batteries: Walters and Hershberger.  
Boston ..... 1 5 0  
Chicago ..... 3 6 1  
Batteries: Passeau and Hartnett.

The games between New York and Pittsburgh and Philadelphia and St. Louis were not played owing to rain.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Chicago ..... 3 10 2  
New York ..... 13 19 0  
Batteries: Pearson and Dickey.  
St. Louis ..... 1 9 1  
Boston ..... 8 11 0  
Batteries: Auker and Peacock.  
Cleveland ..... 4 14 2  
Washington ..... 3 14 3  
Batteries: Eisenstat and Hemsley.  
Detroit ..... 5 9 1  
Philadelphia ..... 0 6 0  
Averill homered for the Tigers.  
Batteries: Bridges and Tebbetts.

**OLYMPIC GAMES EXTENSION**  
BERCHTESGADEN, June 21 (T/Ocean).—Plans for an extension of the Olympic construction in Garmisch-Partenkirchen, as well as of the programme for the Winter Games of 1940, were approved by the German Chancellor at the Obersalzberg on Tuesday.

He received the President of the German Olympic Committee, Reichs-Sportleiter von Tschammer, and Oester, the President of the Organisation Committee, Dr. Ritter von Hall, the member of the International Olympic Committee, Gen. von Reichenau, the Secretary General, Dr. Carl Diem, and the Secretary of State for tourist traffic, Hermann Esser, at his mountain home.

Wei and Lee Kam-ming 3-6.  
D. M. A. Razack and A. Razack (I.R.C.) lost to Lin and Lee 2-6, beat Lam and Hsu 6-3, lost to Wei and Lee 2-6.

S. A. R. Bux and H. Kitchell (I.R.C.) lost to Lin and Lee 5-7, lost to Lam and Hsu 3-6, beat Wei and Lee 6-3.

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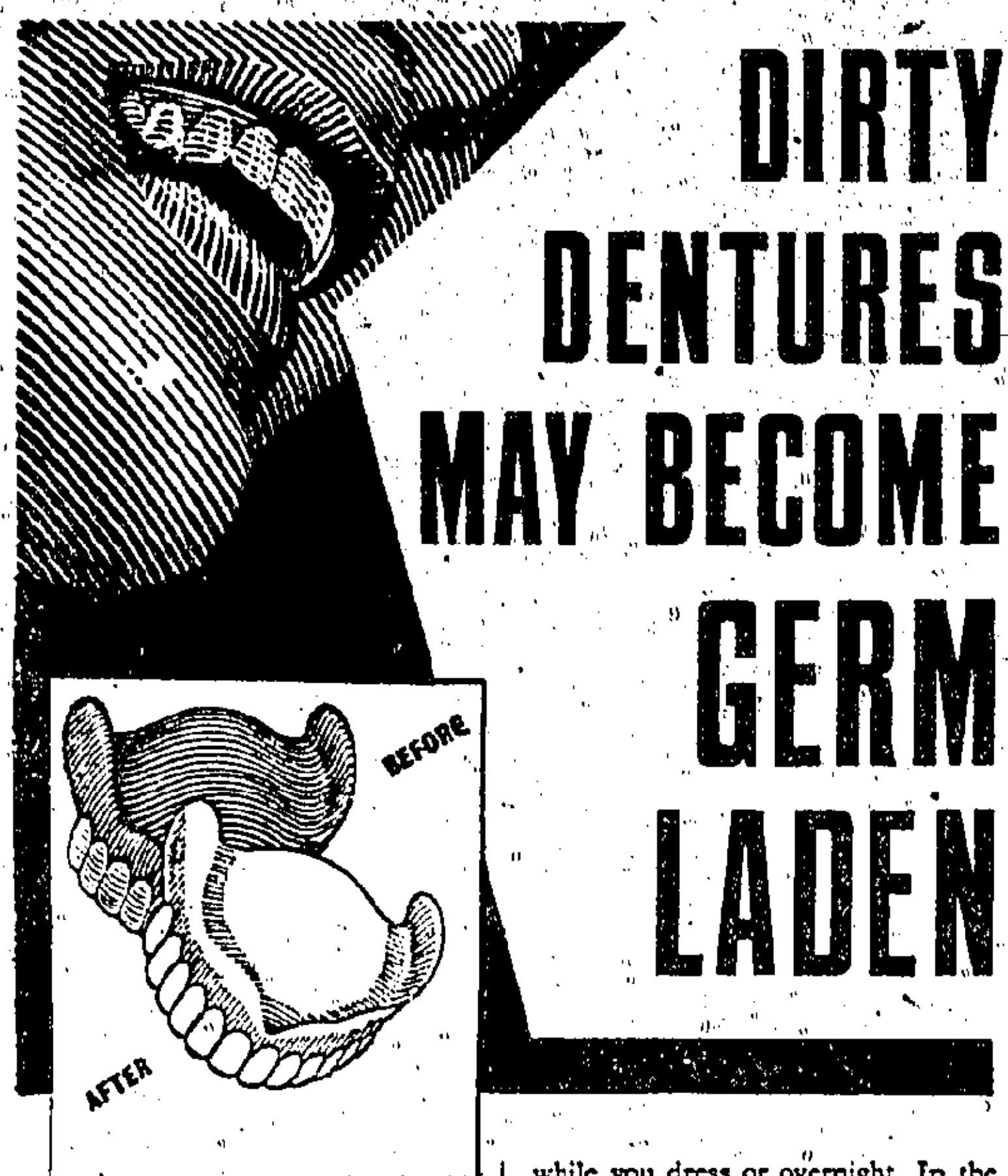


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Beethoven Symphony No. 5  
12.00 to 12.30 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.  
12.30 p.m. Musical Comedy Selections.  
"The Cat and The Fiddle"—Vocal Gens (Hornbach and Kern)—Light Opera Company with Orchestra.  
"Follow A Star"—Vocal Gens (Ellis)—Light Opera Company with Orch.  
"Wild Violets"—Vocal Gens (Stolz)—Maria Eisner and Martin Kramer (Vocal Duo) of the State Opera, Dresden, with Chorus and Orchestra under direction of the Composer.  
"Evergreen"—Selection Gerald and His Sweet Music with Vocal Chorus.  
1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.02 p.m. Gino Bordin and His Hawaiians with Kanui and Lulu.  
Flowers Path—Waltz (Bordin).  
Night In The Desert—Waltz (Bordin).  
Gino Bordin and His Hawaiians.  
Mauna Loa (Alex Dale). Aloha Beloved (Howard Long-Cantfield—Kanui and Lulu, Hawaiian Novelty, Chiribini (Pestalozzi)—Gino Bordin and His Hawaiians with Vocal Refrain.  
Little Grass Shack In Kewaukewau (Coggswell and Others). Hilo Kanakahi (Halekalea)—Kanui and Lulu.  
Tears Of Love (Bordin). Hawaiian Berceuse (Bordin)—Gino Bordin and His Hawaiians.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast & Announcements.  
1.40 p.m. Quentin Maclean at the Organ.

When I Heard The Organ Play (Gilbert). Don't Forget The Old Folks (Noel and Pelosi)—with Vocal by Les Allen and Quartette. Babbling (Maclean). China Doll Parade (Zamecnik).

Nat Gonella and His Georgians.  
Your Feet's Too Big—Fox-Trot: The Mayor Of Alabama—Fox-Trot: Some Of These Days—Fox-Trot: After You've Gone—Fox-Trot: Swing, Swing, Daughter—Swing—Fox-Trot: I've Got A Wonderful Feeling—Fox-Trot.

2.15 p.m. Close down.  
6.00 p.m. Studio—Children's Hour.  
7.00 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.02 p.m. Beethoven—Symphony No. 1 in C Minor, Op. 67.  
Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

7.35 p.m. Songs by Alexander Kipnis (Bass).

Aufenthal (Schubert). Der Doppelgänger (Schubert)—with Piano accom. by Frank Bibb (Sung in German).

7.45 p.m. Cortot at the Piano.

Tarantelle, Op. 43 (Chopin). Valse in A Flat, Op. 69, No. 1 (Valse Des Adieux—Chopin). "Rigoletto"—Paraphrase De Concert (Verdi-Liszt).

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Selections from Gilbert and Sullivan's The Yeomen of the Guard. Were I Thy Bride—Nellie Briertcliffe (Contralto). Oh, Sergeant Meryll, Is It True?—Peter Dawson (Bass-Bar.) and Chorus. Forbear, My Friends—

Derek Oldham, Nellie Briertcliffe, Leo Sheffield and Male Chorus. Ave, Hug Him, Girl—Leo Sheffield, Derek Oldham, Nellie Briertcliffe & Male Chorus. The Priest's New Comes To Meet His Doom—Full Company. My Lord! My Lord! I Know Not How To Tell—Full Company. Night Has Spread Her Pall—Once More—Dorothy Gill and Chorus.

8.25 p.m. Violin Solo.  
Prelude And Allegro (Pugnani-Kreisler). On Wings Of Song (Mandelssohn)—Gulla Gustafson with Gerald Moore at the Piano. Variations (On A Theme By Corelli—Tartini, arr. Kreisler). Rondino (On A Theme By Beethoven—Kreisler)—Zino Francescatti with Maurice Faure at the Piano.

8.45 p.m. B.B.C. Recording—Money For Nothing.  
A Fifteen Minute Sketch, by F. Morton Howard.

9.00 p.m. Otto Dobrindt and His Orchestra.  
"Chinese Night Watch (Siede): Peterburg Sleigh-Ride Party (Ellenberg). Sleeping Beauty's Bridal Procession (Rhode)—Otto Dobrindt and His Concert Orchestra. Straussiana (Borsche)—Otto Dobrindt and His Piano Symphonists.

9.15 p.m. London Relay—The News.  
9.30 p.m. London Relay—World Affairs.

By H. Wickham Stead.  
9.45 p.m. London Relay—Sports News and Market Notes.

9.50 p.m. Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) and The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

Milanollo—The Coldstream March (Hamm, arr. Mackenzie-Rogan). Royal Air Force March Past (Walford Davies, arr. Amers)—The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards cond. by Capt. J. C. Windram.

9.55 p.m. Rolling Along (Edm. Munn, arr. Round). Lead The Covered Wagon (Kane and Hunt). Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra. Colonial Medley: Canada—The Maple Leaf for ever; O Canada. Australia—Advance, Australia. New Zealand—God defend New Zealand.

South Africa—Sarie Harris—The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards cond. by Capt. J. C. Windram.

10.10 p.m. London Relay—A commentary on their Majesties the King and Queen's arrival at Southampton.

11.00 p.m. Close down.

### CHUNGKING NEWS BROADCAST

A regular series of short-wave broadcasts in the English and other foreign languages have been inaugurated by the Central Broadcasting Administration, Chungking.

Of special interest to Far East listeners are the news broadcasts at 10 a.m. (H.K. time) each day on 25.21 metres (11.9 megacycles).

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## THE SERVICES

### ROYAL NAVY

#### HOME FLEET AT BOSYTH

The principal ships of the Home Fleet, under the command of Admiral Sir Charles Forbes, with his flag in the Nelson, have arrived at Rosyth from Portland. Recently they welcomed there the ships of the French Atlantic Squadron which have visited Liverpool and Glasgow.

The French squadron included the battle-cruisers Dunkerque and Strasbourg, the former flying the flag of Vice-Admiral M. B. Gensoul; the cruisers Leygues, Gloire, and Montcalm, with the flag of Rear-Admiral R. E. Godroy; the first named; and a number of smaller vessels.

#### COMPLETION OF THE JAVELIN

The destroyer Javelin, completed at the Clydebank shipyard of John Brown and Co., Limited, has arrived at Portsmouth.

The Javelin will be completed to full crew under the command of Commander R. F. Pugsley for service in the 7th Destroyer Flotilla, Home Fleet, in place of a vessel of the Eclipse type, completed in 1924.

#### NEW MARINE COLONELS

The Fleet Royal Marine officers in the Home and Mediterranean Fleets have been granted the temporary rank of colonel, R.M. They are Lieutenant-Colonel E. J. B. Noyes, in H.M.S. Nelson, Home Fleet; and Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Campbell, M.C., in H.M.S. Warspite, Mediterranean Fleet. Both officers have served in the Corps since 1912.

#### COMMANDER T. F. A. VOYSEY

Lieutenant-Commander T. F. A. Voysey is placed on the retired list on attaining the age limit 45, but will remain in his present appointment at Portland naval base.

#### NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—

Lt.-Cmdr. (R)—R. L. Jordan, to Drake (for R.N.E. College, Keyham (June 10)). W. C. Pulver, to Victory, addl. for Portsmouth Dockyard (June 20).

Chaplain—The Rev. P. B. Scott, to Forth (June 20); the Rev. J. G. Falconer, to Resource (June 27).

### ROYAL AIR FORCE

Lt.—J. G. F. W. Roberts, to Excellent; C. A. Bacon (retd.), to Terror (June 6); W. B. Kellert, to Edinburgh (June 14); to Southampton (undated).

Surgn. Lt.—M. C. Fever, M.C., transferred to Emergency List (June 12).

Act. Lt.—G. Villiers, to Glorious (June 2).

Mids. (A)—P. McQ. Wilkinson, C. B. R. Osborne, S. G. Venner, to Excellent for "C" course (June 19).

Cd. Sig. Bn.—W. Head, to Victory for Sig. Sch. (June 26).

Cd. Elect.—W. J. Russell, appt. to Eagle, on recom. cancelled.

Gunner—M. E. Burnett, to Shel-drake (June 13).

Flt. Elect.—G. Parker, to Eagle (June 14).

#### RETIREMENTS

Surgn. Capt.—S. Bradbury, M.B., placed on the Retd. List (June 12).

### GROUP COMMANDS

The Air Ministry announces the following appointments:—

Air Vice-Marshal B. E. Sutton, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., to be Air Officer Commanding, No. 21 Group, with effect from July 31, vice Air Vice-Marshal J. E. A. Baldwin, O.B., D.S.O., O.B.E.

Air Commodore C. H. B. Blount, O.B.E., M.C., to be Air Officer Commanding, No. 22 Group, with effect from July 17, vice Air Vice-Marshal B. E. Sutton.

Group Captain A. Coningham, D.S.O., M.C., D.F.C., A.F.C., to be Officer Commanding, No. 11 Group, with effect from July 3, vice Air Commodore C. H. B. Blount.

### CAWNPORE RIOT

CAWNPORE, June 20 (Reuter).—

Troops of the South Staffordshire Regiment who were called out yesterday in connection with communal riots, returned to barracks to-day indicating that the situation is now under control. Casualties among the rioters are four dead and 37 injured.

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10.40—"At Home and Abroad." (A).  
11.05—Luncheon Music (A).

11.30—Afternoon Musical Programme (A).

D.M.

1.00—"The Western Land." (D1).

1.40—The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra (D1).

2.30—News (D1).

2.45—"World Affairs." Talk by H. Wickham Stead (D1).

3.00—End Purdy at the Piano (D1).

3.15—Sports News and Market Notes (D1).

3.30—Young People's Session (A).

4.30—Recorded Music (A).

5.25—Commentary on News (A).

6.45—Irish Rhythms, with Section of B.B.C. Northern Ireland Orchestra (D2).

7.00—The National Military Band (A).

7.15—"Music in the Air." Sir Walford Davies, with B.B.C. Empire Orchestra (D2).

7.30—Programme by the Masteringers Vocal Quartet (A).

7.45—Light Orchestra Programme (A).

8.15—"Between You and Me and the Mike." (D2).

8.45—"Daniel Defoe." (D2).

8.50—Jim Davidson's A.B.C. Dance Band (A).

8.15—News (D2).

9.20—Summary of the day's News (A).

9.30—"World Affairs." Talk by H. Wickham Stead (D2).

9.45—Sports News and Market Notes (D2).

10.00—"Cricket in the Seven Seas." Talk by Thomas Woodroffe (D3).

11.00—"The Western Land." (D3).

11.40—"Music for Dancing." with Gerald and his Dance Orchestra (D3).

12.00—News (D3).

12.15—"Matters of Moment." Talk by Edward Thompson (D3).

12.30—Recital by Joan Coxon, soprano and Harry Blech, violin (D3).

12.55—Sports News and Market Notes (D3).

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## Today's Screenings

### Hongkong

KING'S:  
"Girls' School"

QUEEN'S:  
"You Can't Cheat An Honest Man"

ORIENTAL:  
"Arrest Bulldog Drummond"

CATHAY:  
"The Royal Tour"

### Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:  
"The Lady Fights Back"

STAR:  
"Affairs Of Annabel"

MAJESTIC:  
"Always Goodbye"

### Coming

KING'S:  
"Submarine Patrol"

QUEEN'S:  
"Ice Follies Of 1939"

ORIENTAL:  
"Zaza"

CATHAY:  
"We're Going To Be Rich"

ALHAMBRA:  
"Ice Follies Of 1939"

STAR:  
"For Love Or Money"

MAJESTIC:  
"Listen, Darling"

MAJESTIC:  
"Blackwell's Island"

MAJESTIC:  
"Soviet Border"



Claudette Colbert and Herbert Marshall in "ZAZA" showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday.

## "ZAZA" AT THE

### ORIENTAL

"Zaza," the daring story of the private life of a French music hall wench, is the new starring vehicle for Paramount's top actress, Claudette Colbert. It comes to the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday.

As gay as the Edwardian era and as sparkling as the champagne night suppers, "Zaza" tells a half-comic, half-tragic tale of the music hall darling's mad infatuation for a man of the upper classes, her risking society's frown for the sake of love and her ultimate disillusion. Herbert Marshall, Miss Colbert's screen sweetheart for the first time, plays the suave "Dufresne" the man of society whose double life brings tragedy to her sweetheart and himself.

Others in the all-star cast are including Bert Lahr, Helen Westley, Constance Collier, Genevieve Tobin and Walter Catlett.

## Theatre Week In Vienna

### OPERA, MUSICAL COMEDY & PLAYS

Vienna, the capital of old Austria, the city of music and gaiety and the birthplace of so many great composers and actors, was chosen this year for the annual German theatre festival.

The famous theatres and national buildings were decorated for the congress, which, as usual, was attended by several members of the Reich Government.

This annual congress is arranged with a view to bringing together the leading figures in the theatrical profession and representatives of the cultural departments of the Government to discuss the past year's work and make plans for the new season. Dr. Goebbels, who is head of all art and culture organisations in Germany, was the chief speaker.

The programme included performances of opera, musical comedy, and plays illustrating the year's productions. The State Opera House and the Burgtheater gave performances of Handel's opera "Julius Caesar," Richard Strauss's "Day of Peace," and Wagner's "Tannhauser," and the drama included Goethe's "Faust I," Schiller's "Mary Stuart," and Shakespeare's "Richard II." There was also one musical comedy and one light play.

A number of visiting actors and actresses took part in the performances. The ensemble of the Hamburg State Opera took part in "Julius Caesar," and the Berlin guest players were to be seen in "Faust I," the rest of the casts all came from the Vienna stage. A ceremonial presentation was made to Richard Strauss, the composer, who will be 75 this year, at the performance of his opera "Day of Peace." (Trans-ocean Special)

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## "BLACK WELL'S ISLAND" AT MAJESTIC

For the first time, the well-nigh incredible conditions existing at the New York City jail on what is now called Welfare Island before they were exposed and corrected in 1934 are fully, vividly and authentically depicted on the screen in the Warner Bros. picture, entitled "Blackwell's Island," which opens to-day at the Majestic Theatre.

That alone would serve to make the new film both interesting and exciting, but it adds considerably more interest because it presents John Garfield, undoubtedly the screen "find" of the year, in as vital a role as he had in "Four Daughters," and "They Made Me a Criminal."

It's strong stuff, this picture, and it's played to the hilt by a

### LUISE RAINER

Of a wealthy father, Luise Rainer was taken by his travelling around the world, but when she was 15 the family fortune disappeared, and a year later she began on the stage, appearing in Max Reinhardt's productions. Born in Vienna, Austria, she has brown hair and eyes and is 5 ft. 3 ins. in height. Her films include "Escapade," "The Great Ziegfeld," "The Emperor's Candlesticks," "The Good Earth," "Big City," "Dramatic School," "The Great Waltz," "The Toy Wife" (known in England as "Frou Frou").

### Solution No 340

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## ROMANCE OF THE REDWOODS

### JACK LONDON STORY IS FILMED

Lovely Jean Parker, who starred in "Sequoia," returns to the big timber country in her latest Columbia picture "Romance of the Redwoods." Charles Bickford is co-starred with Miss Parker in the new film, which is based upon a famous Jack London story. "Romance of the Redwoods" is set against America's timber belt, the Pacific Northwest. It is said to be a beautiful film, possessed of all the breath-taking beauty of the backwoods country, with its great trees, its rivers and mill towns.

"Romance of the Redwoods" is primarily concerned with the emotions which struggle within the breast of one man, a rugged lumberjack, who is torn between friendship and love.

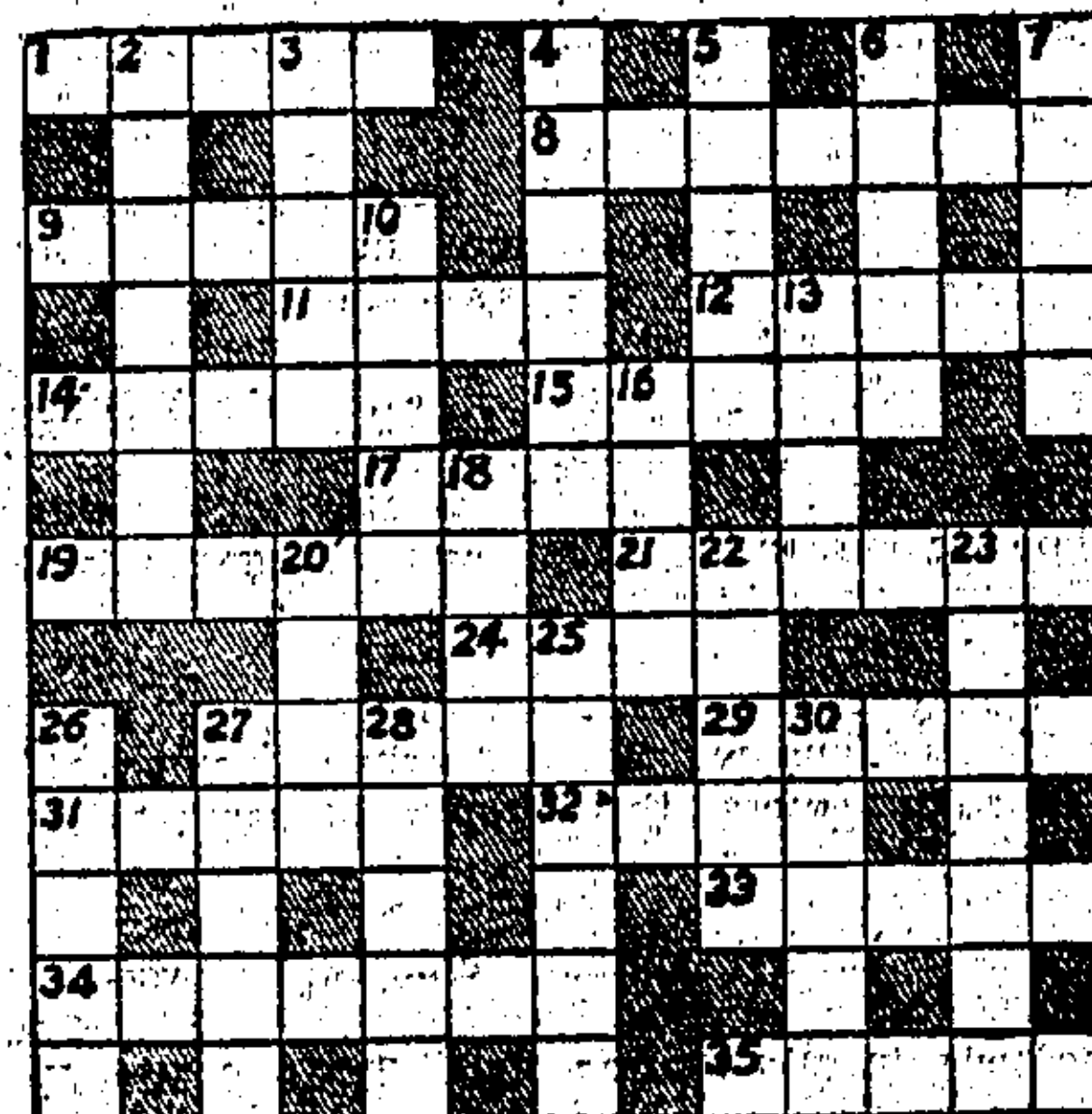
The logger, admiring a young backwoods girl, watches her fall in love with the city-bred youth with whom he himself has formed a close friendship. When the boy accidentally dies, the lumberjack is accused and tried for the murder.

He is freed, but his fellow-loggers are unconvinced of his innocence. Their rejection of his friendly is terminated only with the onrush of a spectacular forest fire.

large and exceptionally well-selected cast, which, in addition to Garfield, includes such luminaries as Rosemary Lane, Stanley Fields, Victor Jory and Dick Purcell, as well as Morgan Conway, Granville Bates, Anthony Averill, Peggy Shannon and Charles Fox in lesser roles.

## CROSSWORD NO. 341

ACROSS  
1 Vagrant (5)  
8 Flower (7)  
9 Egg-shapes (5)  
11 Disclosed (4)  
12 At that place (5)  
14 Inclined (5)  
15 Trial (5)  
17 Delayed (4)  
19 Insurrection (6)  
21 View (6)  
24 But this (4)  
27 Foremost (5)  
29 Gathering (5)  
31 Crevasse (5)  
32 Hind (4)  
33 Better (5)  
34 Weariness (7)  
35 Decease (5)  
DOWN  
2 Opposite (7)  
3 Fruit (5)  
4 Jewel (6)  
5 Performances (5)  
6 Sweet product (5)  
7 Put off (5)  
10 Charm (5)  
13 Stringed instrument (7)  
16 Fasten up (4)  
18 Grain (4)  
20 Sculls (4)  
22 Hooter (5)  
23 Gather (7)  
25 Male relation (6)  
26 Deride (5)  
27 Entertainment (5)  
28 Likeness (5)  
30 Lying (5)



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"The Affairs Of ANNABEL"  
"The Affairs Of ANNABEL"

"Is it too much for me to hope that some day I can claim my son for my own and yet keep the man I love?"  
"Goodbye to you!"

TOMORROW AND SATURDAY  
A THRILLING GANGSTER DRAMA FULL OF ACTION  
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**ROSEMARY LANE**  
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NEW POSTAGE  
STAMPS1864 Event  
Commemorated

An almost forgotten event in the history of the British Empire, the handing back to Greece of the Ionian Islands as a gift from Queen Victoria to King George I on his accession in 1864, is commemorated by the appearance of five Greek postage stamps.

Three of the stamps are of the same face value, 20 drachmas, but the design representing the profiles of King George and Queen Victoria surrounded by a Garter is printed in different colours, orange, red, and blue, the same that were used for the original stamps of the Ionian Islands during the British occupation.

The lower values of the set depict respectively the Arms of the Seven Islands (Drachma), and a view of the historic fort and port of Corfu, their capital.

## Bulgaria Event

Two stamps just received from Bulgaria mark the sixtieth anniversary of the postal service in that country. Printed on highly surfaced paper and in traverse format, the 1 leva green symbolizes the union of the post and telegraph services by means of posthorns tied together and surmounted by a crown, against a background of thunderbolts. The stamp of 2 leva carmine has a view of the postal ministry in Sofia.

To the growing list of stamps associated with the New York World's Fair can be added a pair from Rumania, printed in photogravure by the Fabrica de Timbre at Bucharest in denominations of 1 lei red-brown and 12 lei blue, each presenting a different view of the national pavilion at the exhibition.

In connection with the visit of the King and Queen to the Dominion of Newfoundland a new 5 cent stamp was placed in circulation on June 17 in an effective design incorporating portraits of their Majesties with the arms of Newfoundland inset between, together with the inscription "Royal Visit."

The stamp has been finely engraved and printed in England by the recess plate process and is without watermark.

## WOMEN'S PAGE

Officers Must Not Dance With  
German Girls

CAIRO, MAY 4.—OFFICERS IN THE EGYPTIAN ARMY AND AIR FORCE were ordered by the National Defence Ministry today to keep away from cabarets and night clubs which employ German and other Central European dancers and dance hostesses. The action is taken on the ground that there may be spies among the girls.

Close watch will be kept on girls who have associated with officers. The Government are considering the advisability of not renewing the visas of some of these dancers. There are between 200 and 300 European cabaret girls in Egypt, and most of them are golden-haired beauties from Hungary.

The German dancers chiefly

come from Austria, and it now appears to be the wish of the German authorities that these girls should return to the Reich. They are being told it is bad for German prestige that they should dance in Egypt, and there is plenty of work in Germany. The German consulate is not renewing their visas.



Mrs. Dodwell (seated in foreground), wife of the Hon. Mr. Stanley H. Dodwell, at the King's Birthday garden party held in the grounds of Government House. (Photo by Leica).

Representatives of rice dealers in Shanghai called at the Shanghai Municipal Council on Tuesday requesting that steps be taken to stabilize the price of rice which has continued to soar, according to a Shanghai report.

All Chinese financial establishments in Shanghai were closed for the Dragon Boat Festival yesterday, says a Shanghai report. The eve prior to the Festival found the financial market in the port city steady. Accounts were settled between various commercial and industrial concerns fairly smoothly.

THURSDAY'S  
MENU

## BREAKFAST

Ruhrbark  
Cereal  
Buckwheat Cakes  
Jam  
Coffee

## LUNCHEON

Fruit Cocktail  
Potato Salad  
Meat Pies  
Baked Pumpkin  
Creamed Onions  
Corn on Cob  
Ice Cream and Cookies  
Iced Tea

## DINNER

Soup  
Pineapple and Cottage Salad  
Fried Chicken  
Rice and Gravy  
Carrot Souffle  
New Potatoes  
Strawberry Short Cake  
Coffee

Mr. C. H. Bingham-Powell has been appointed Architect in the Public Works Department, Hongkong, according to the latest Colonial Service appointment.

"ALIEN"  
BRITISH  
WOMEN

An old grievance that specially demands redress in the present state of Europe was raised by the National Women Citizens' Association recently.

It is that of the British woman who, by reason of her marriage to a foreigner, finds herself deprived of British citizenship and all the rights that go with it. She has suffered this disability only since 1870, and there has been more or less continuous agitation for its removal ever since.

It deprives her right to vote and of any form of State pension, and it may render her liable to police supervision as an alien. These are indignities enough in her own country.

## Protection

If she travels she is entirely without the protection that British nationality would give her. If, as may often happen in these days, she marries a refugee who has lost his own citizenship she may find herself entirely Stateless.

Such marriages are often contracted without knowledge of the hardship they will entail. There ought to be no hardship. Lord Alness last year introduced a Bill that would enable British women who marry foreigners to retain their nationality if they choose and those who have lost it by this means to regain it.

The Government made its familiar reply that the Dominions must be brought into line. Some are already known to favour the measure. With a lead, from this country the rest could hardly refrain from following.

A committee representing forty organisations has been formed to press for the change, and the motion will be one only of many demanding it.

## NEWSETTES

Miss G. Marr has been appointed Mistress in the Education Department, Hongkong.

Mr. N. F. Tucker has been appointed Master in the Education Department, Hongkong.

Miss A. M. M. E. Halliday is appointed Masseuse, Medical Department, Hongkong.

Lieut. and Mrs. E. W. Sconce returned to the Colony from their honeymoon trip by the S.S. Empress of Russia yesterday.

The marriage took place in London on June 3 of Mr. George Thomas Martin to Miss Alexena Palmer.

To-day is the longest day of the year, the Summer Solstice, when the Sun enters the Tropic of Cancer.

The fourth annual charity Bazaar of St. Mary's Church will be held in the Church Hall, Tai Hang, on Saturday, June 24, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Lady Pollock will open the Bazaar.

The forthcoming marriage is announced of Mr. John Luk Chai-chu, accountant of the China Vegetable Oil Corporation, and Miss Mary Wong Yuan-tan, librarian of the Chinese Young Women's Christian Association.

Herr Fischer, Counsellor of the German Embassy in China, has been appointed German Consul General in Shanghai. Dr. Altenburg, till recently Consul General in Canton, takes Herr Fischer's place at the Embassy.

The following were, among the passengers who arrived in Hongkong yesterday by the S.S. Empress of Russia: Mr. W. Brandel, Mr. J. F. Dwyer, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kwan, Mr. P. C. Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. M. Peyronnet, Mr. C. Smallwood, Mr. W. E. Schmeltzer.

On the occasion of Teachers' Day in Ipoh, F. M. S., \$1,363.73 in Straits currency were collected by Chinese school children who paraded the streets of Ipoh selling paper flowers. The collection was donated to the China Distress Relief Fund.

The bodies of Pilot-Officer A. H. Barnes and Aircraftman G. H. Leighton, reported missing following the crash of the R.A.F. Sunderland aircraft at Seletar, Singapore, on June 5, were recovered on June 7. They were accorded a military funeral.

Miss N. M. Bascombe, Senior Mistress in the Education Service, has been appointed Headmistress of Bellios Public School, Hongkong. Prior to going on Home leave Miss Bascombe was Headmistress of the Kowloon Junior School, previous to which she was Assistant Mistress at the Central British School for several years.

A "Diana" Class aircraft, G-ADUE "Dardanus," similar to those now on the Bangkok to Hongkong route, is expected to arrive at Bangkok from England on or about June 27 for operation on this route. This fifth aircraft will provide a larger reserve to cope with the fluctuation in traffic now taking place.

The Prime Minister and Mrs. Chamberlain gave a luncheon party at No. 10, Downing Street, on Tuesday in honour of the Princess Royal and the Earl of Harewood. The guests included the High Commissioner for Canada and Mrs. Vincent Massey, Admiral Sir Dudley Pound and Sir Arthur Eddington.

"The nobility of the medical profession and its high place in the human scheme" (words used by His Excellency the Governor) was the theme of the tributes paid to the Medical Services at the annual dinner of the Government Medical Officers' Association, in Ceylon, held on June 3 at the Galle Face Hotel. His Excellency the Governor and Lady Caldecott were the chief guests. Dr. R. W. Willenburgh presided.

Major-Gen. Sir Nell Malcolm and the Council of the Universities of China Committee gave a luncheon party on June 8 at the Savoy Hotel in honour of Dr. C. T. Wang. Among those present were the Chinese Ambassador, Mr. Quo Tal-chi, Dr. W. G. S. Adams, Mr. Liu Chieh, Mr. S. L. Chang, Mr. O. M. Green, Mr. E. M. Gull, Cr. F. A. Harris, Mr. T. Y. Lee, Mr. A. G. Morkill, Sir John Pratt, Mr. A. Rose, Mr. G. W. Swire, and Dr. C. C. Wang.

Dr. Schacht, the ex-President of the Reichsbank who has been in India on a holiday tour, arrived in Colombo on June 4. Dr. Schacht recently extended his holiday in India with a visit to Burma. Baron Leopold von Plessen, the German Consul in Colombo, received Dr. Schacht on his arrival and the latter was the Consul's guest during his stay in Ceylon. Dr. Schacht spent eight days in the Island before proceeding to Germany by the German liner Scharrkopf.



"Good morning, sunshine!"

"Go to blazes!"

"Now, now — temper! That's not like mummy's little blue-eyed boy."

"Oh, go and climb a tree. I hope you get a thick head like mine. Teach you to jeer."

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We are giving away twenty free cinema tickets to see Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's production entitled "ICE FOLLIES OF 1939", co-starring Joan Crawford and James Stewart, who has recently been pushed into stardom at the M-G-M studios.

The skating sequences are in breath-taking technicolour and the performers none other than "The International Ice Follies." The picture is to open Friday, June 23, at the Queen's Theatre, and the day after at the Alhambra Theatre, for a simultaneous run.

To qualify for one of these tickets, all you have to do is to send us an advertisement for insertion in the classified or ordinary columns of the "Hongkong Daily Press." Current advertisers can qualify for these tickets if renewals are made on or before Friday, June 23.

There are only twenty tickets available for distribution; so get your advertisement or renewal in early to obtain the ticket. This offer will only remain in force until 12 noon on June 23.

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ZIEGFELD' OF THE ICE!

THE  
ICE  
FOLLIES  
OF 1939

STARRING  
Joan  
CRAWFORD  
with  
JAMES STEWART  
and  
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"The International Ice Follies"

with  
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## BRITISH WOMAN LOCKED IN JAPANESE SHOP

### Trouble Over Accidental Damage To Table

#### ROYAL SCOT RELATES STORY

HOW A BRITISH WOMAN, WIFE OF LANCE-CORPORAL YANNETTA, OF THE 2ND BATTALION, ROYAL SCOTS, WAS DETAINED AND LOCKED IN A JAPANESE CURIO SHOP IN WANCHAI following an accident in which a table was slightly damaged, was related to Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday.

As a sequel to the incident, Tomlinaga, master of the Yamato Curio shop, No. 10, Johnston Road, was summoned for assault. He pleaded not guilty and said that he was not in the premises when the incident occurred.

Lance Corporal Yannetta explained that it was "another man" who was responsible for the trouble and subsequently the summons against Tomlinaga was withdrawn. A Chinese employed in the shop, named Leung Yue-chau, was called and the summons for assault was handed to him in person.

Lance-Corporal Yannetta said that he went to the Yamato Curio shop with his wife on the evening of June 17. He took several pieces of curio and examined them, but accidentally dropped a piece onto a table, causing slight damage. He immediately apologised.

#### REMARKS PASSED

An elderly woman came to inspect the table and passed some remarks. Then a man approached and told witness that he would have to buy the table. A girl later joined in and started to talk excitedly. By this time a large

crowd had gathered outside the shop.

Fearing further trouble, Lance-Corporal Yannetta offered to call a police officer to settle the matter.

"I then made towards the door with the intention of calling a police officer," said witness. "I met a sailor and asked him to stand the first policeman he met. I remained outside the door and as I stepped out defendant closed the iron grill. My wife was inside the shop at that moment. I called to her to step out with me.

#### HELD BY HAND

"As my wife made a move defendant held her by the hand and pulled her back and held on to the grill. I forced his hand away from the grill and a girl then approached, locked the grill, leaving my wife inside. The people went to the back of the shop, leaving my wife behind the grill."

Defendant said he locked Mrs. Yannetta in the shop to prevent her from leaving after causing damage to the table.

Mr. Forrest remarked that defendant had no right to detain any person. If the complainant had intended to run away he should follow him and summon the help of the police.

Defendant was fined \$25. Lance-Corporal Yannetta, when asked by Mr. Forrest, expressed his willingness to tender his apologies for causing the damage to the table and offer to pay a reasonable compensation.

#### GIRL-REFUGEE ON LARCENY CHARGE

A fine of \$200, or, in default, two months' hard labour, was imposed by Mr. E. Himsworth, at the Kowloon Court yesterday, on So Mui, a 17-year-old girl, a refugee from Canton, who was convicted of larceny of \$1,000 in Chinese currency from Lal Tuk-fuk, 60, a retired merchant, of No. 717, Nathan Road.

The larceny, which the girl admitted, occurred on June 12. The girl was to proceed to Macao on the following day, when it was discovered that the money was missing. Some of it was found hidden about the premises, and the girl is alleged to have stated she would try to recover some more of the money which had been sent by her to Macao.

Mr. Macfadyen granted an adjournment of one week, telling the girl that her sentence would be less severe if more of the stolen money was recovered. Of the money stolen, which amounts to about \$400 in Hongkong currency, \$32.20 in Hongkong currency was recovered.

#### TROUBLE STARTED

About 2 a.m., trouble started when Sullivan held a waiter by the chest. Other waiters commenced to throw things.

Referring to the conspiracy charge against the soldiers, she said that about 3 p.m. on the same day she visited another cabaret girl at whose house she met Stevenson and McNally. They handed her a letter purported to have been written by Cruickshank, instructing her to tell the police, if questioned, that Cruickshank had accompanied her home that night.

After further evidence, the hearing was adjourned to June 28 at 2.30 p.m.



Another view at the garden party held in honour of the birthday of the King on June 9. (Photo by Leica).

## GOVERNOR SEES DRAGON BOAT FOR FIRST TIME

### Chung Shing Benevolent Society's Celebration

That it was the first time he had seen a Dragon Boat was revealed in a speech by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, following the carnival of dragon boat races, held by the Chung Shing Benevolent Society yesterday, where the celebration of the festival of the Dragon Boat was marked with great success.

There were no less than three to four thousand people present.

Among those present were His Excellency the Governor and his private secretary, Mr. G. Trever-

## EVIDENCE FOR DEFENCE

### Indian Sergeant Charged

Evidence for the defence was called at the Kowloon Court yesterday in the case in which Lance-Sergeant Amrik Singh, of Mongkok Police Station, is charged on four counts of receiving bribes, and on four alternative counts of misconduct as a police officer.

The case is being heard by Mr. E. H. Himsworth. Inspector E. G. Post, of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, is prosecuting, and Mr. Hin-Shing Lo is for the defence.

Inspector T. K. Whelan, Officer-in-Charge at Mongkok Police Station, the first defence witness called, stated that the defendant had been attached to Mongkok Police Station the last for 24 months previous to March 17. He had never been put on special market duty, and, as he was a sergeant, he would not be detailed for such duty.

#### MARKET DUTY

Defendant was not the senior Indian police officer at Mongkok Police Station. An Indian Crown Sergeant ranked above him, and there were about 13 Indian police at the Station junior to the defendant in rank. Two Indian police constables were usually detailed for duty at Mongkok Market. They made a tour of the market between 7 and 11 a.m. and another tour between 2 and 6 p.m.

On March 3 and again on March 10, P.C.B. 269 and P.O.B. 391 were on market duty, and on March 17, P.C.B. 180 and B. 513 were on Market Duty. On March 3 the defendant was on general patrol from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., and he signed the visiting book at Yau-mat Police Station at 4.20 p.m. March 10 the defendant had paraded on general patrol before Sergt. Russell, and he had no leave on that day.

Evidence relative to the defendant's movements on the days he is alleged to have solicited or received bribes from Mongkok market stall-holders was given also by Sergt. Cullen and by Gazuma Singh of Mongkok Police Station.

The case was further adjourned to Monday at 2.30 p.m.

ton, the Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall, the Hon. W. J. Carrie the Hon. Mr. S. Caine, Mr. H. R. Butters, the Hon. T. N. Chau, Mr. Chan Lam-fong, President of the Chung Shing Benevolent Society, Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ, Dr. T. W. Wong Mau-lam, Mr. Lo Kok-ming, Pong-sam, Mr. Lam Pui-sang, Mr. Wong Mau-lam, Mr. Lo Kok-ming, Mr. Lau King-tsing, Mr. Wong Yan-tseng, and many others.

Six boats namely Hop Yee-fong, Hop Sing-thong, Wo Hop-thong, Thong Aun-thong, Luen Yip-thong and Tak Sing-thong, respectively, took part in the competition. The Hop Sing-thong which belonged to the Aberdeen section, emerged winners in the first and final races.

#### BANNERS PRESENTED

After the competition, banners were presented by His Excellency to the respective boats, after which tea was served.

Mr. Chan Lam-fong in a short speech thanked His Excellency for his presence and for presenting the banners. The gate receipts will be donated to refugee relief.

His Excellency, replying, said that it gave him great pleasure to be present. He said that he had heard a lot about dragon boats but had not seen one until yesterday. He also expressed his thanks for the kind hospitality and said that he had enjoyed himself.

#### BRIDGE GIVES WAY

Accommodation was taxed to capacity when a portion of a bridge gave way in the morning but fortunately there were no casualties.

#### AIRPORT NEWS

Imperial Airways:

NORTHBOUND

Friday: Bangkok, Ha Noi, Hongkong.

Della—4 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND

Friday: Ha Noi, Bangkok, Dephins, Denebola—7 and 7.30 a.m.

Air France:

SOUTHBOUND

Saturday: Ha Noi, France, Ville de Bangkok—7 a.m.

Pan American Airways:

EASTWARD

Wednesday: U. S. A., Manila, Hongkong.

China Clipper—2 p.m.

WESTWARD

Thursday: Manila, U.S.A., China Clipper—8.30 a.m.

Note:—The inward, midweek service of Imperial Airways due this afternoon has been delayed due to a hold up on the Empire route. The "Della" will arrive tomorrow afternoon with mail and passengers.

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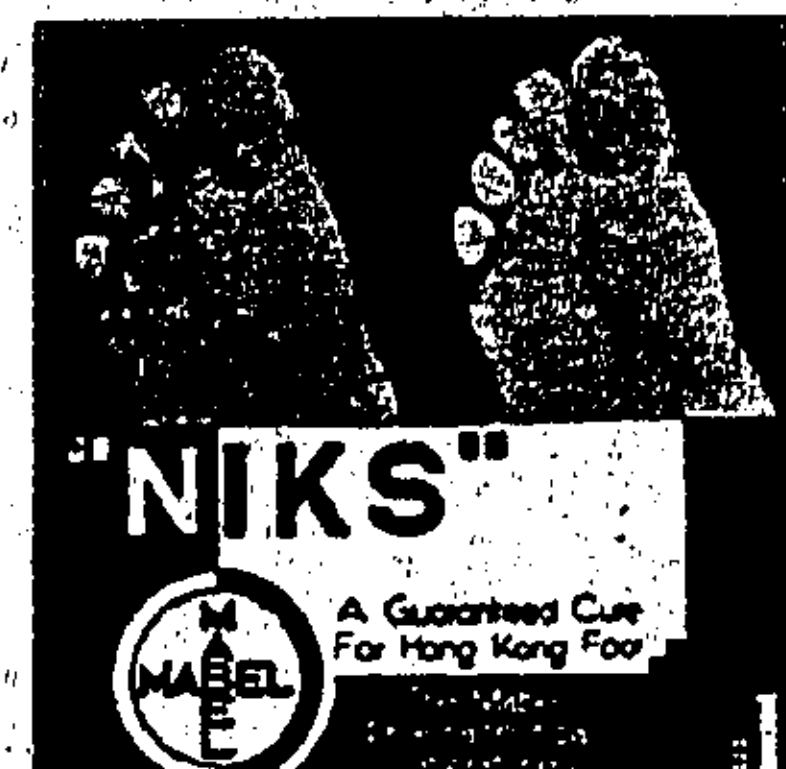
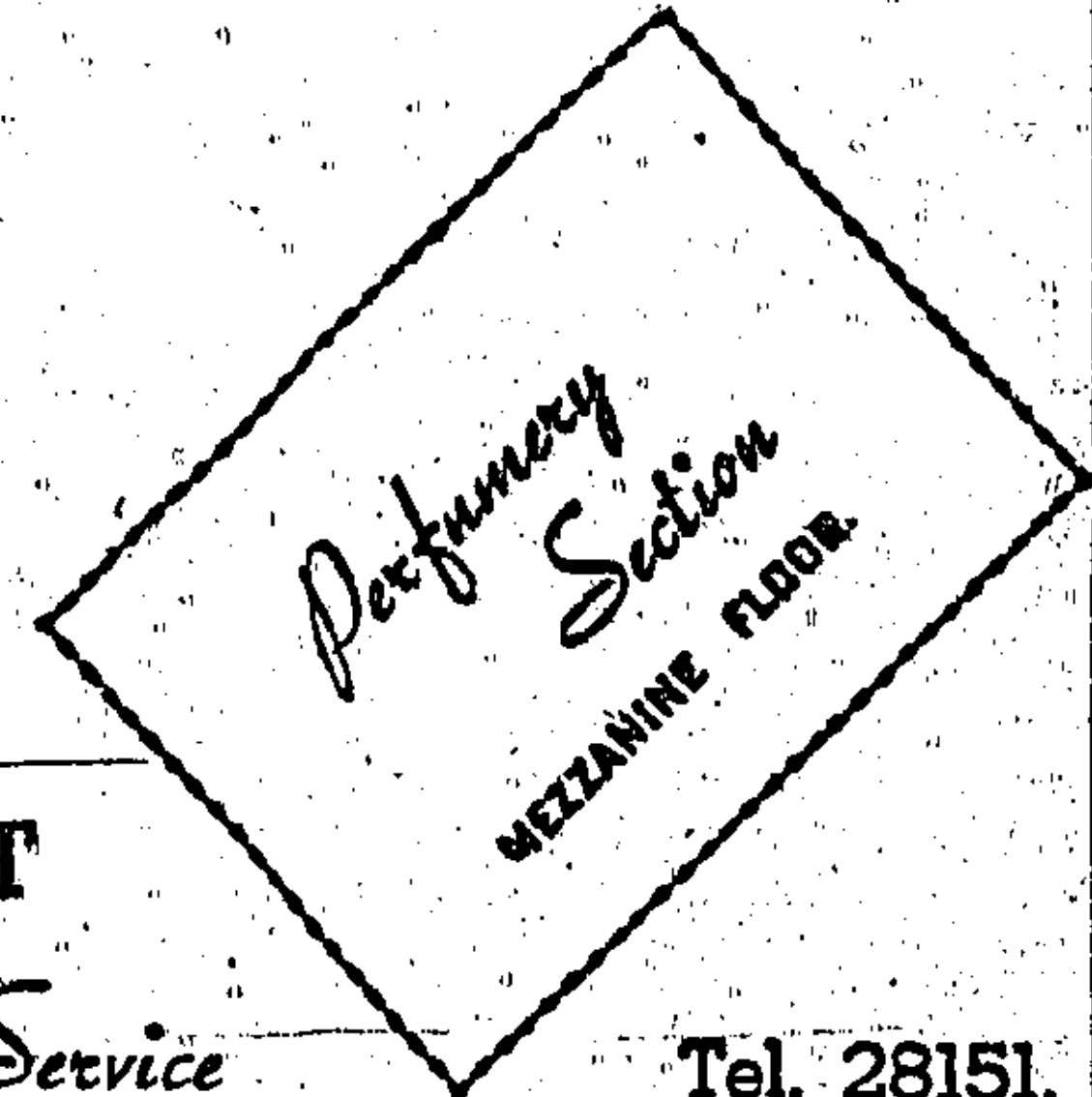
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## CLAIM BROUGHT FOR WAGES

### Grand Cabaret As Defendants

The Kwong Chow Restaurant Ballroom, otherwise the Grand Cabaret, West Point, were defendants in a claim brought before Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell in the Summary Court yesterday by Harry Yip for \$201.88, being wages due to plaintiff.

Mr. D. McCallum withdrew from the defence, saying that he had no further instructions.

Plaintiff said he was engaged by the Ballroom as manager of the dance hostesses. The business, he understood, had lately changed hands and was now known as the Coconut Grove. He wished to add the Coconut Grove and the transferees of the business as defendants in the action, and the case was then adjourned sine die.



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## POP-POP'S LITTLE JOKE ON THE BARBER



By J. MILLAR WATT



## ADVERTISEMENTS

## NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that Boris Pasco of No. 1 East Point Terrace, Causeway Bay, Victoria, Hongkong, is applying to the Governor for naturalization, and that any person who knows any reason why naturalization should not be granted should send in a written and signed statement of the facts to the Colonial Secretary, Hongkong.

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## ADVERTISEMENTS

## NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be held in Jardine's Board Room on June 28th 1939 at 5.30 p.m.

W. REES HARRISS,  
Secretary.

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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

**PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 26th day of June, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Middle Gap Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.**

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4147	Junction of Ma Tau Wai Road and Sheung Heung Chung.	As per sale plan	About 57,180	1,050	43,893

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Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
2	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4148	Junction of To Kwa Wan Road and Lok Shan Road, To Kwa Wan.	As per sale plan	About 50,000	918	37,600

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## CRIMINAL SESSIONS

## Six Youths Face Charge Of Wounding: Sequel To Fight In Bridges Street

A fight in Bridges Street on May 10, when Chan Pui, assistant painter, received injuries in the head and wrist, led to the appearance on a charge wounding with intent at the Criminal Sessions yesterday before the Chief Justice, Sir Athol MacGregor, of six youths, Yu Ngan, Hui Po, Li Kwok-cheung, Tat Chuk, Lam Pui and Hui Chun.

Mr. J. B. Prentis, Assistant Crown Solicitor, prosecuted, assisted by Detective Inspector A. L. Hopkins. Mr. Percy Chen, instructed by Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ, appeared for the defence, this being Mr. Chen's first case since his enrolment here last month.

The following jury was empanelled:—Messrs. W. V. Field (foreman), Tse Shu-wing, D. J. Ruttonjee, V. J. G. Petersen, Chu Yuen-chee, D. D. Forbes and F. M. Xavier.

The facts of the case, as outlined by Mr. Prentis, were that all six accused took part on May 10 in an attack on Chan Pui, and in that attack wounded him. On the evening prior to the attack, Chan Pui had a quarrel with fifth defendant and was again attacked by fifth and sixth defendants.

## FOLLOWED BY GANG

About 2 p.m. that day, Chan was reading at a bookstall in Bridges Street when a number of men, including the six defendants in the dock, surrounded Chan. He broke through and ran into a house opposite, the gang following him to the kitchen. There they attacked him and wounded him in the head and in the left wrist, which was cut to the bone.

In consequence of information received, the police that evening went to the Hongkong Rope Factory at Kennedy Town, where they found and arrested all six defendants.

The first five accused, when charged, denied taking part in the assault, while the sixth man said he had no knowledge of the affair as Chan Pui was not there.

Chan Pui, in the witness-box, corroborated counsel's story. He said as many as 40 persons were in the gang, and that a man named Kam Ming struck him first in the head with a bamboo pole.

## NOT UNPOPULAR

In cross-examination, witness denied that he was unpopular in

more drastic step in that direction.

INCIDENTALLY, the Prime Minister's extreme caution in handling foreign affairs may be seen in an almost simultaneous decision to accord some kind of recognition to the German conquest of Bohemia and Moravia. The left-handed blow to Herr Hitler of an Anglo-Soviet Pact may be softened by this gift with the right. Meanwhile, the problem of a General Election looms ahead, but once the Triple Entente between France, Britain and Russia is achieved, with the adherence of Poland, Rumania and Turkey, there will be little of a political nature to divide the great parties.

THE OPPOSITION may criticize the Government freely on the policy alleged to have led up to the present crisis; but in view of the threats under which we are living, their criticism would appear rather academic. The Election is likely to be fought on the old proverb, "Don't swap horses while crossing the stream." Despite ministerial assurance, the general public is still inclined to be a little suspicious as to whether our defences are being built as well and as rapidly as possible.

WHAT IS MORE, Mr. Chamberlain himself is not altogether satisfied; so, both for his own satisfaction and that of the public he is likely to reconstruct the Government.

WHETHER or no a General Election is held in the late autumn, the move will be all to the good. The two questions which no one can answer are, whether an outbreak of military war may prevent an election or whether the expected strengthening of the Government would enable the present administration to retain power.

the neighbourhood because he always bullied the younger boys. He admitted that he had been gaoled previously, but denied that he was the recruiting agent for the Wo Kwan Lok society and that he encouraged young boys to steal to get expenses for the society.

Mr. Chen: I put it to you that you were reading when you saw fifth defendant and that, considering him an obstacle in your work of recruiting, you chased him?—No.

Did you not have a knife in your hand and did you not, in the general struggle, cut yourself?—I had no knife. I was cut by them.

In answer to Mr. Prentis, Chan Pui said all the prisoners were members of the Sap Pat Chee society, the members of which engaged in fighting.

Ma King, mother of Chan Pui, Chan Koon-yin, 14-year-old caretaker of the street library, Det. Inspector Hopkins, Mr. L. A. Searle, A.S.P., and Mr. F. W. Shaftain, Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence, also gave evidence.

## DEFENDANT TESTIFIES

Hui Chun, sixth defendant, said that on the afternoon of the assault, he was at home with his wife. Chan Pui had a grievance against him, said witness, because they had previously had a quarrel regarding a street pitch.

Li Kwok-cheung, third defendant, said he was in the street watching people play chess.

Cross-examined, witness admitted two previous convictions for assault and inflicting grievous bodily harm.

Hui Po, second defendant, said he saw the commotion in Bridges Street but took no part in the fight.

Yu Ngan said he saw fourth and fifth accused being chased by Chan Pui and other people.

Asked by Mr. Prentis, witness admitted seven previous convictions for larceny and one for demanding money with menaces.

## ASKED TO STEAL

Lam Pui said that he was asked by Chan Pui and ten others to steal and when they found he had failed they struck him.

Witness admitted three previous convictions for larceny and burglary, the last one being as recent as May 1, when he was imprisoned for a week.

Tat Chuk said Lam Pui was attacked by about a dozen men, including Chan Pui, when Lam said he had not done any stealing. Because Chan did not like him to interfere, witness said he was nearly cut with a knife by Chan Pui.

Chan's position in the Wo Kwan Lok society was to receive and sell stolen goods, stated witness.

Counsel for the defence had begun to address to jury when the case was adjourned to this morning.

## WARNING TO PIG-BREEDERS

A summons against Yeung Hung-lee, of Po Kong village, on whose premises there are 71 pigs and a litter of six young pigs, all kept without the necessary licence, was brought again before Mr. E. Himsforth, at the Kowloon Court yesterday, by Sanitary Inspector E. L. Lockhart.

Mr. M. A. da Silva, appearing for the defendant, asked for a further adjournment of two weeks, which was granted. It is claimed by the defence that an application for a licence has been made to the Urban Council, and Yeung hopes to be an importer of pigs, and as such has to keep pigs temporarily on his premises before he can dispose of them.

Two orders were issued by Mr. Himsforth yesterday warning unlicensed pig breeders that they should dispose by sale of their swine or have the pigs detained and sold by officers of the Urban Council.

Other pig breeders in answering the summons against them stated that they had sold the pigs they formerly possessed.

## WATERLOO ROAD COLLISION SEQUEL

## European Fined For Failing To Report Accident

Fines of \$10 and \$5 were imposed by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday on Mr. L. R. Brown, of Prince Edward Road, on conviction for having failed to reduce speed on approaching a curve and for having failed to report a collision between his car and a bus at the junction of Waterloo Road and Argyle Street on May 20.

Yuen Kam-wah, the bus driver, who was summoned for failing to signal when taking a turn, was discharged. Crown-Sergeant M. Clark, traffic officer, who prosecuted, stated that the bus which Yuen was driving had an automatic signal, an arrow being switched on whenever the bus turned.

Mr. Francis Brett, a passenger on the bus, stated that between 8.30 and 9 a.m. on May 20 he was a passenger on a No. 8 route bus. He was looking out to the rear of the bus at the instant proceeding round the island at the junction of Waterloo Road and Argyle Street, just past the Shell filling station, when a private car attempted to overtake it.

## INSUFFICIENT ROOM

There was insufficient room between the bus and the island, and the left side of the car had collided with the right rear of the motor-bus.

The bus circled round the island and stopped in Argyle Street. The European from the car spoke to the bus-driver, and with witness. The motor-car approached the bus at between 18 and 20 m.p.h.

Mr. Brown was driving the car, accompanied by his daughter, in the direction of Tsimshatsui when the accident occurred. He said he did not report the matter to the police as he did not think it was compulsory by law to report minor accidents, and because he was in a hurry preparatory to leaving for Macao.

## SUMMARY COURT ACTION

## Possession Claim Succeeds Against Escort Bureau

Tam Kwai, operating an escort bureau at No. 2 Stanley Street, first floor, was ordered by the Police Judge, Mr. Justice E. E. Lindell, at the Summary Court yesterday to give up possession of the premises.

Plaintiff was Kwok King-chau, who was represented by Mr. D. McCallum, and who claimed possession on the ground that notices had been carried on the floor occupied by defendant. Notice to quit was given on May 3, but defendant was still on the premises.

Defendant said her sister was in charge of the bureau, but this was denied by the sister. Chinese newspaper advertisements of the bureau were produced which showed that defendant's photo was on them.

Defendant went on to say that the business was straightforward and honest and that if it were not, most of the girls, who were married, would not be allowed by their husbands to work there.

Judgment with costs and mesne profits at the rate of \$45 a month, was given for plaintiff.

## PASSENGERS BY AIR

All passengers by air from Hongkong to Palestine are required to produce certificates showing that they have been inoculated against cholera not less than six days nor more than six months prior to arrival.

## M.T.B. REFLOATED

Motor Torpedo Boat No. 12, which ran aground on Tuesday in Crooked Harbour, near Mr. Bay, was refloated about noon yesterday. An examination and repairs, if necessary, will be carried out in the Royal Naval Dockyard. The torpedo boat was carrying out practice when she ran aground.

Mr. King Zou, the ex-Queen's Greekline of Albania, is expected to arrive in Paris within a week to stay at the de la Maye Castle for some time (T.O.).

## Hello &amp; Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

Notice all the people in our town to-day? The hotels are overflowing, shop keepers are awake and at attention, the cumshaw youngsters have doubled and business is popping! This is all due to the seven travel conveyances which called in the Colony yesterday.

However, there were trials and tribulations, the P. & O. steamer Chitral came slowly into port with a damaged crank-shaft, therefore, she will not proceed to Shanghai to-day, but will remain at the Kowloon pier several days undergoing repairs.

Imperial Airways will finally have all their planes up in the air. The "Denebola" has completed a regular overhaul, "Delphinus" with flooring repaired came into Kai Tak yesterday with the mail but no passengers, and the "Della" is due to-morrow. The "Dorado" has been grounded for repairs.

## Pan American Airways

ANOTHER GREAT big, giant airliner of Pan American Airways came to town yesterday, the Honolulu Boeing Clipper.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Mott are certainly out to have a big vacation for themselves. They are on an air journey around the world, 25,127 miles of flying and to think this is Mrs. Mott's first air flight! This tour is also in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary. Leaving San Francisco, they have crossed the Pacific and will continue by Imperial Airways to Europe. Several side air trips are planned and it is expected they will arrive home in the west coast city by the Golden Gate on July 9. They are circling the world by air routes and having a whole of a good time doing it!

And here again is Mr. Fred Malloof arriving from San Francisco on another buying expedition. This genial gentleman should know the Pacific horizontally and vertically having made five or six trips.

Mr. Richard Watts, Jr., representative of the "New York Herald-Tribune" (something tells us he is a newspaperman), was another San Francisco to Hongkong passenger. On to Chungking he flies, gathering news for his "sheet." His tour will be completed with a trip through India and Europe.

Returning from a business trip to America was Mr. Chun Winkun, of the Colony. He was happy to be home but regretted that his exciting air travel had come to an end.

Mrs. E. McKee and her two young, attractive daughters, Misses Cynthia and Marcia McKee are indeed fortunate and very "air-minded." Round-tripping are these three Americans by the Honolulu Clipper. They will be met by the head of the family who is number one of the Wisconsin and Michigan Steamship Company, in Manila, and all the family fly home together.

An author and world-traveller is Mrs. Maud Parrish whose book "Nine Pounds of Luggage" has just been released. This interesting person has bid adieu to her home in San Francisco for the next two years, and will travel to the South Seas gathering material for another manuscript.

## Air France

IT WAS boiling, 12.40 p.m. yesterday, when the Ville de Paris arrived from France, via Hanou.

Father J. M. Gillooly, of the Maryknoll Order, arrived for a ten-day holiday in the Colony. His work in Kwangsi has been most strenuous. However, the industry and courage of the Chinese in the region has been amazing and has helped him a great deal.

Mr. N. A. Vanden Heuvel, representative of the Netherlands Boxer indemnity, returns from a mission in China where he identified the remains of M. Bourdrez, League of Nations conservancy expert, who lost his life in an accident in the rapids of the Ching-siang, a tributary of the Yangtze. After a few days in the Colony, this Dutch gentleman will return to his office in Shanghai.

And here again, Mr. F. W. Carman, pleasant and jolly as usual, but a little shy, stepped out of the Air France plane. "Business," no more or no less could we inveigle out of the gentleman!

## S. S. Santhia

WEDNESDAY, 10.45 a.m. the S. S. Santhia was in from Calcutta and Straits ports.

Enveloped in a big white hat was Miss E. M. Edwards of Singapore. This young lady is holidaying and found her present destination a hot one. Meeting with success in the baggage business, she hurried off for cooler climes in the Peninsula Hotel.

Madam Annie Tung, from Singapore, was met by a large delegation of friends, young and old, men, women and children. This popular arriver was hastily escorted shore-side in the mob.

And Mr. and Mrs. Trent, with their two young daughters journeyed from Calcutta. These visitors whom we were not fortunate in interviewing are residing at the Peninsula Hotel.

## S. S. Chitral

WHEN THE P. & O. steamer arrived yesterday, 3.40 p.m., from Europe, via Singapore, she was in difficulties with a damaged crank-shaft. Due to all this unfortunate business the popular steamer will stay at the Kowloon pier for several days undergoing repairs.

Surprise! Lieut. R. C. Cartwright-Taylor, R.E., arrived in town with a lovely bride. Both the travellers were just a bit conscious, however, they were happy to be in Hongkong though the day was a scorcher!

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. T. Warren, and their baby, who resembles a beautiful doll, were given a huge and exciting welcome by many friends. Now, back to the work of handling the affairs of the Australian Sandlewood Co., Ltd. goes the head of the family.

Two other gay travellers were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. D. Van Asch. Baggage coolies, stewards, and friendly greetings combined to make their arrival quite exciting. After a few days of visiting they continue northward.

## UNLICENSED HAWKERS

Unlicensed hawkers who sell their wares in Boundary Street are migrants from the Pei Ho Street market area, Insp. W. H. Nollath, of Shumshupo Police Station explained to Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, at the Kowloon Court yesterday.

Fines of \$1.50 which Mr. Macfadyen imposed on arrested and convicted hawkers from the market area had the desired effect of driving them away from there.

Five hawkers were charged before Mr. Macfadyen with hawking without license in Boundary Street. They were fined \$1.25 each.

## NEW FEATURE

Owing to pressure on space the New Feature introducing Hongkong personalities is held over and will be published to-morrow.

## COMING EVENTS

June  
22—Longest Day (1939).  
Tides: High 1.30 a.m. and 12.37 p.m.  
Low 5.44 a.m. and 7.39 p.m.  
Sunrise 5.39 a.m. Sunset 7.16 p.m.  
Legislative Council Mtg. 2.30 p.m.  
Wedding at Registry: Joffe-Murray 3.45 p.m.  
Cathedral Scouts Mtg. Hgra. 5.30 p.m.  
23—Andrew's Club Committee Mtg. 8.30 p.m.  
Ladies Guild, Waterloo Rd. 10.30 a.m.  
Victoria Chess Club, Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.  
Kowloon Chess Club, Penin. Hotel, 8 p.m.  
Claims against estate of Harold Sedgwick.  
Exhibition of War Photographs, Chinese Y.M.C.A. 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.  
Peace Pledge Union Mtg. Speaker: Rev. A. McCallan 5.30 p.m.  
Theo. Soc. Mtg. Speaker: Mr. A. P. Kunder. "Occultism Clarified. Problems."  
Y's Men's Club Mtg. St. Francis Hotel, 1 p.m.  
Jockey Club, Public House of Pomes, 5.15 p.m.  
24—Garden Party at Gov. House to Unity: Court 4.30 p.m.  
25—Tides: High 2.25 a.m. and 1.31 p.m. Low 6.50 a.m. and 8.20 p.m.  
a.m. Badminton and Mxd. Swimming.  
Toe H. Mtg. St. Andrew's Hall 8.30 p.m.  
Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders Reception, 5.30 p.m.  
Wedding at Union Church, Kennedy Road, Honniet-Priedemann 1.30 p.m.  
26—Mid-summer Day.  
St. Mary's Church, Tai Hang. Charity Bazaar 11 a.m.  
27—Y.M.C.A. Diocesan Gyn. Speaker: Rev. A. P. Rose. "The Destiny of Man." 8 p.m.  
28—Crown Land Sale 3 p.m.  
Water Polo League Starts.  
29—H.E. the Governor to speak at Mtg. of Club-American, Out. Assn. H.K. Hotel 7.30 p.m.  
H.K.S.P.A. Annual Mtg. Jardine's Board Room 8.30 p.m.  
30—H.E. the Governor to speak at Mtg. of Club-American, Out. Assn. H.K. Hotel 7.30 p.m.  
Crown Land Sale (D/O South) 11



# VOLUNTEER FORCE ORDERED TO STAND BY FOR MOBILIZATION IN TIENTSIN: ANTI-BRITISH AGITATION UNABATED

## H.M.S. LOWESTOFT CANCELS HER DEPARTURE: ACUTE FOOD SHORTAGE

TIENTSIN, June 21 (REUTERS)—THE VOLUNTEER FORCE IN THE BRITISH CONCESSION HAS BEEN ORDERED TO STAND BY FOR IMMEDIATE MOBILIZATION.

There are now two British warships here—H.M.S. Sandpiper arrived yesterday afternoon and later H.M.S. Lowestoft, which was due to leave to-morrow, cancelled her departure.

A British motor lorry, escorted by a detachment of the Durham Light Infantry, brought a large quantity of vegetables into the Concession.

### BRITISH LORRY RUNS BLOCKADE

This was the first British effort to defeat the restrictions against the entry of foodstuffs. The Japanese sentries allowed the lorry to pass the barricades without molestation, but the reports that seven lorries ran the blockade yesterday are untrue.

## AGITATION FANNED BY JAPANESE

The anti-British agitation fanned by the Japanese continues unabated and Chinese hotel keepers have issued notices calling for the surrender of the British Concession and offering accommodation at half rates to all Chinese who have left the Concession.

### MILK SUPPLIES STOPPED

The food shortage remains acute despite to-day's excursion and supplies of milk have now been completely stopped by the Japanese. The Concession is also short of coal.

The slight relaxation in the restrictions at the Japanese barriers was noted last evening, presumably on account of the Chinese Dragon Boat festival to-day, but Britons have declined to hail the move as a sign that the blockade is being definitely alleviated.

## BRITAIN WILL NEVER YIELD

### JAPAN'S THREAT

### CHALLENGE WHICH MUST BE MET

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—The Solicitor General, Sir Terence James O'Connor, in a speech to a Conservative gathering at Loughborough, said it was idle to pretend that the blockade of Tientsin was not a threat directed against the heart of Britain—a threat which was probably engineered and designed by those who saw in the British Empire the greatest stumbling block in the way of progress to achieve domination of the world.

#### TIENTSIN DANGER

Their thoughts, he said, wandered in the direction of those of kith and kin who were suffering indignities and facing danger in Tientsin.

The traditions of Conservatism only existed to fortify them in the conviction that Britain, at whatever cost, to herself, had never yielded, and would never yield, to a threat of the kind she was now facing.

#### CABINET MEETS

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—The Cabinet held its usual weekly meeting when the Far Eastern situation was discussed. Another statement is expected to be made by the Prime Minister in the House of Commons this afternoon.

## DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN JAPAN AND BRITAIN

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—Little fresh light was thrown on the present discussion between the British and the Japanese Governments in regard to the situation in Tientsin by Lord Halifax, when he made his first statement on "the blockade" in the House of Lords yesterday afternoon.

Dealing with "the strong representations" made by Sir Robert Craigie in Tokyo, Lord Halifax said that Mr. Arita, the Japanese Foreign Minister, had taken note of these and had undertaken to make inquiries.

Sir Robert Craigie was endeavouring to clarify the situation and he (Lord Halifax) had discussed the subject with the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Shigemitsu, on Monday.

#### Difficult Situation

The Foreign Secretary added: "The Government trust that the Japanese Government will not desire any more than do His Majesty's Government, to widen the area of disagreement or to complicate a situation that is already extremely difficult."

## TIENTSIN ISSUE NOT RAISED

WASHINGTON, June 21 (Reuters)—Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary of State, stated yesterday that the U.S. Charge d'Affaires in Tokyo, Mr. Dooman, had protested against Japan's continued bombings of American property in China.

Mr. Hull later confirmed that Mr. Dooman had called at the Japanese Foreign Office twice yesterday, acting on instructions from the State Department.

Two calls. The first call concerned the situation in Kiangsu and the second was in regard to the continued bombings of American property in China.

Mr. Dooman, besides protesting against the bombings, asked the Japanese Government's assent to the publication of the previous representations by the United States on the subject.

Mr. Hull added that so far as he knew, the situation in Tientsin was not raised.

#### AMERICA'S INTEREST

PARIS, June 21 (Reuters)—America's interest in Tientsin is represented in sections of the press as much greater than generally reported.

"Figaro" says that the United States is following the position much more closely than it would appear asking how could she forget that England sacrificed her alliance with Japan after the War through respect for her friendship towards the Americans.

"L'Epoque" writes that it is learned that representations from Washington are couched in very vigorous terms.

## BRITAIN'S REQUEST REFUSED

TOKYO, June 21 (Reuters)—Mr. Arita, the Japanese Foreign Minister, informed Sir Robert Craigie, the British Ambassador in Tokyo, that the Japanese Government is unable to comply with Britain's request for the abolition of exceptional discriminatory treatment against Britons and also the dilatory examination of foodstuffs at the Japanese barriers in Tientsin, according to the "Asahi Shimbun."

JAPANESE DENIALS. TOKYO, June 21 (Reuters)—Denying discrimination against Britons in Tientsin, a Japanese Foreign Office spokesman said that no official information had reached Tokyo regarding preferential treatment accorded to Americans, Germans and Italians in Tientsin.

The spokesman denied reports of manhandling of Britons at the barriers of the British Concession and described as "typical malicious anti-Japanese propaganda" the reports that three Britons had been stripped naked and a British woman had been manhandled by Chinese police in the presence of Japanese.

The Foreign Office spokesman added that women and children were being searched by women police. He said that no ban had been placed on provisions and vegetables taken into the British Concession.

## NEGOTIATIONS WITH SOVIET

### MORE FAVOURABLE VIEW: AGREEMENT NOW NEAR

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—A MORE FAVOURABLE VIEW IS NOW TAKEN IN WELL-INFORMED QUARTERS OF THE PROGRESS OF THE ANGLO-FRANCO-SOVIET NEGOTIATIONS, SAYS REUTER'S DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT.

The latest Soviet memorandum has been examined and points to the view that the two sides are believed to be nearing agreement.

## FRESH INSTRUCTIONS

MOSCOW, June 21 (Reuters)—Mr. William Strang, the Foreign Office expert, is reported to have received fresh instructions from London and will get in touch with the Soviet Foreign Minister, M. Molotov, for further conversations.

The difficulties lie in the Russian anxiety regarding guarantees for her Baltic neighbours while they are not willing to accept guarantees. The slowness of the negotiations is not surprising London as when Mr. Strang left for Moscow he was expected to be away for two to three weeks.

## BRITAIN HOLDS THE CARDS

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—Great Britain holds the cards economically, declares the "Daily Mail" in a leader on Tientsin.

The writer adds that Tientsin is the Japanese challenge and as much a challenge as unrestricted submarine warfare, gas, "scraps of paper" and all the rest of the tactics of a nation battling for victory in the face of grave defeat.

The challenge does not invite compromise and it must be met with a very firm and a very clear answer.

## CHINESE SUCCESSES IN SHANSI

SIAN, June 21 (Central)—More strategic points north-east of Maotintu and south of Chang-tienchen, in South Shansi, have been recaptured by the Chinese in their sweeping drive against the Japanese.

These, according to latest military advices, include Yientitsun, Kuwang and Tungyen. The Japanese are said to be fleeing in confusion in a northwesterly direction with the Chinese following in hot pursuit.

Houwang and Machlashan, east of Changtlenchen, have also been re-occupied by the Chinese in a furious assault.

Chinese forces in the vicinity of Taku, south of Talyuan in central Shansi, are reported to be taking an offensive and pushing back the enemy.

#### Chance Encounter

KAOAN, KIANGSI, June 21 (Central)—During an encounter at Kiuling, south-east of Fenghsin in north Kiangsi, on Monday morning, the Chinese killed some ten Japanese, wounded twenty and captured a number of rifles and tin helmets.

#### In South Hopei

CHENGCHOW, June 21 (Central)—A chance encounter between Chinese and Japanese forces near Nanlo, south-east of Taming in southern Hopei, resulted in over 100 casualties on the Japanese side.

The Chinese have been staging a series of raids on the Japanese at Taying, south of Tsaoching, in south Hopei, exacting considerable losses from the enemy.

#### Attempted Landing

SHUOHING, June 21 (Central)—Two Japanese warships of light draft and eight steam-boats sailed to Woukang in the district of Suwul on the morning of June 17 and attempted to land marines there. After being fired upon by the Chinese, they retired to Kowkong.

#### East Kiangsi Lull

FENGCHENG, KIANGSI, June 21 (Central)—Heavy downpours have deepened the lull in east Kiangsi. Both the Kan River and the Fu River have risen considerably.

## SUBMARINES SABOTAGED?

### INQUIRY SUGGESTED BY U.S. SENATOR

WASHINGTON, June 21 (Reuters)—A resolution, for the appointment of a Congressional Committee to investigate the possibility that the loss of the submarines Squalus, Thetis and Phenix were due to sabotage was introduced in the Senate yesterday by Senator Barbour.

The resolution suggests that the Committee be directed to investigate the whole question of the activities of foreign spies in the United States.

## NO REPLY YET FROM JAPAN

### Commons And Late Mr. R. M. Tinkler

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—In the House of Commons, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said that he regretted that no reply had yet been received in response to the British protests to Japan regarding the death of Mr. R. M. Tinkler, late employee of the China Printing and Finishing Company who was struck by Japanese bluejackets at the Company's Footing plant.

Asked if he had read the report of the Coroner's Court giving details of the manner in which Mr. Tinkler met his death and whether he would "secure immediate satisfaction for this unparalleled outrage," Mr. Butler said that Lord Halifax had seen accounts of the Coroner's inquest and was awaiting an official account when due account will be taken of the extreme seriousness of the case.

The Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs did not reply when asked whether the Government had expressed any sympathy with the relatives of the late Mr. Tinkler.

Soviet Government is insisting on a guarantee of Far Eastern frontiers of the U.S.S.R. and that this forms an obstacle to the Anglo-Franco-Soviet agreement which a formal Tass denial, which describes the report as absolutely groundless and a mere invention.

## R.A.F. PLANE CRASHES AT 400 MILES PER HOUR: BURIED TO A DEPTH OF 50 FEET IN GROUND

LONDON, June 21 (Reuters)—Apparently struck by lightning, a single-seater R.A.F. Hurricane fighter crashed to earth at 400 miles per hour and buried itself in the ground to a depth of 50 feet.

The accident occurred in the small town of Sussex. The pilot, who attempted to escape by parachute, was killed.

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## TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS: PRIVATE MOTOR CARS HEAD THE LIST

In the Colony of Hongkong including the Island, Kowloon and the New Territories during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, June 17, 1939, there were altogether 98 traffic accidents as the result of which 1 person was killed and 50 persons were injured.

Private motor cars again head the list of vehicles involved with 54.

The person killed, a Chinese male, age 19, died from injuries received through a collision between a bus and cycle.

Of persons injured 38 were pedestrians, who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

Of 98 accidents, 44 were collisions between vehicles and 54 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians.

## NEW JAPANESE DRIVE

TOKYO, June 21 (Reuters)—A new Japanese drive in South China was launched with the seizure by the Japanese Naval Force of the unoccupied island of Taku, a few miles from the International Settlement of Kiangsu.

The Japanese landed guns and exchanged fire with the Chinese forces on the mainland town of Sungan, from which, according to Japanese reports, the Chinese troops subsequently withdrew.

Summoned for unlawfully continuing to occupy and maintain a structure on Crown Land at Talkortui without a permit from the Director of Public Works three men, Ip So, Chan Kwan and Tang Chan-shi, were fined \$10 each at the Kowloon Court yesterday. Mr. S. H. Paplow, Senior Land Bailiff of the P.W.D., appeared as complainant in the case.

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## HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB CLASSIFICATIONS

The following classifications were notified by the Hongkong Jockey Club on June 20:

### AUSTRALIAN PONIES:

"A" Class:—Able Amazon, Court- ing Eve, Double Figsse, Electron, Gypsy Love, Lancashire Chips, Lucky Lad, Strathroy.

"B" Class:—A Grand Time, Aztec, Blandford, Candlelight, Centre Court, Chiltern, Cocklerol, Criffel, Derby Day, Devonian, Flinders River, Happy Landings, Janber, Katinka, King's Privilege, Loquacious, Murrumbidgee, National Victory, Ranger, Rising Star, Rivulet, Sea King, Snowy River, Sydney Lad, Tornado Star, Triumphant Day, Victory Day, Vixen Tor, Winfred.

"C" Class:—African Diamond, A Great Time, Ajax, Amber II, Annabella, A Roaring Time, Baffin Bay, Bag Tor, Balatoc, Bredon, Bruno, Brutus, Cairnmore, Dick Turpin, Discovery Bay, Gale, Heinz, Hellum, Macquarie River, Magic, Murray River, Olympiad Court, Perfect Day, Pocomos, Pumpernickel, Roofly, Ruby Star, Scarlett O'Hara, Schmetterling, Strathcar- rick, Tarzan, Twilight Star, Violet Queen, Zodiac.

### CHINA PONIES:

"A" Class:—Bear Claw, Camero- nian, Confusion Bay, Desert Chief, Eve of Harvest, Happy Eve, King's Warden, Navylight, Rose Elect.

"B" Class:—Avon, Blue Express, Commencement Bay, Conquering Time, Eve of Heaven, Expansion Time, Galaxy, Gladiator, Half- Moon Eve, Handicap Eve, Hectic View, Honeymoon Eve, Humdrum Eve, Hyndford Bridge, Jennifer, Jobber, Just in Time, Lancashire Lass, Lilliber, Moonlight View, New Star, Oak Bay, Peaceful View, Potentate, Red Feather, Rob Ray, Rose Jane, Royal Scot, Tampa Bay, Wild Life.

"C" Class:—Advancing Time, Alligator, Annas Bay, Apilas, Bis- tre, Blue Diamond, Boolat Bay, Bright View, Celtic Star, Dawn Star, Galveston Bay, Hopeful Time, Jillian, King Kong, King's Lead, Lady Love, Lancashire Boy, Laugh- ing Buddha, Laughing Girl, Lovely Star, Marksman, Mayber, Mus- keteer, National Defence, National Pride, Papoose, Pinfarthings, Rose Emily, Rose Evelyn, Rose Fiana,

Rose-Queen, Salvage Master, Scenic View, Smiling Thru, Soldier of Britain, Soldier of China, Tax- ing Master, Tyne.

"D" Class:—Ascot Vale, Black Monday, Brassay, Chatterbox, Clowney, Coronation Day, Cuban Love, Dekko, Desert Star, Dio- genes, Double Chance, Ebony Idol, Emergency Call, Estover, February Fourth, Fel Ying, Final Triumph, Gallant Marshal, Geordie, Gog, Gold Coin, Golden Cow, Gold Sovereign, Good Morning, Green Bay, Guinness Time, Heddon, Jack O'Lantern, Jungle Jim, King's En- voy, King's Worthy, Kut Cheung, Lancashire Chap, Magos, Matador, Meteor, Milenye, National Anthem, National Guard, National Honour, National Service, Night View, Oranje Boven, Pall Mall, Phoenix, Plot Hein, Plain View, Portrush, Racing Boy, Radium Star, Royal Highness, Sea Horse, Shipmaster, Silver Star, Smiling Time, Some Hope, Sports Venture, Starlet, Strathbannock, Sunlight View, Sylvandale, Tabby Cat, Tempest, Thanksgiving Day, The Leopard, The Tigress, This Time, Tiny Tim, Tribute, Valorous, Welcome, Wenning, West Lake, Whalsey, Wilber, Wild Bear, Wild Cat, Willynilly, Zero.

"E" Class:—Arabian Cat, Argon, Avalon, Battleship, Black Dia- mond, Blaisdon, Bogy, Charcoal, Charybdis, Cyclone, Dark Hazard, Dow-Jones, Fairchild, Gaucho, Gold Tower, Heriot, King's Parade, Lucky Eleven, Mac's Adventure, Mayfair Court, National Dignity, National Liberty, Old Fashioned, Opening Batsman, Palmer, Patrio- tic Day, Rose Day, Sunshine Susie, Talkative, The Buccaneer, The Mermald, The Spirit of St. Louis, Tiger Eyes, True Love.

Lieutenant R. F. D. Legh, R. A. of the Anti-Aircraft Regiment at Singapore, and who was appointed Adjutant of the 2nd (Anti-Air- craft) Regiment, Ceylon Garrison Artillery, has arrived in Ceylon to take up his duties. This new Unit will hold a parade on Saturday, July 1, the day of its inauguration as a Unit of the Ceylon Defence Force.



Snapped at the Sixth Extra race meeting which brought the first half of the Racing Season to a close. (Photo by Leica).

### SHIPPING

#### MOVEMENTS

The P. & O. steamer Ranpura left Shanghai on June 20 and is due here on June 22, at 6 p.m.

The E. & A. steamer Nankin will leave for Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne and Hobart on or about Friday, June 30, at 4 p.m.

The B.I. steamer Santhia will leave for Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka on or about Thursday, June 22, at 9 a.m.

The N.D.L. steamer Necker is expected to arrive on July 2 and will leave for Europe via ports on July 3.

So, that Malaya's millions will not starve in time of emergency, steps have been taken to ensure food sufficiency throughout the country. In Singapore, several godowns in the grounds of the Harbour Board are being converted into rat-proof granaries where it is estimated, over 300,000 bags of rice and padi will be stored on behalf of Government as emergency sup- plies. This hoarding of rice is part of Government's policy of ensuring sufficiency of rice supplies. Granaries and mills are in the course of construction in various States up-country, and the work that is being carried out in Sin- gapore is merely part of the general scheme.

### COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Fifteen cases of tuberculosis were notified to the Health De- partment on June 20, in addition to twelve cases of cholera (one imported), three cases of dysen- tery, two cases each of enteric fever, measles and cerebro-spinal fever, and one case of diphtheria.

### SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Yaumatt—Foch, Produce, Govi- ken, Pipina.  
Kowloon Bay—Claude Chappe.  
Kowloon Wharf—Boisvaine, Benvenue, Neptune, Santhia, Chi- tral, Friderun.  
Hoi On Wharf—Indira.  
Taikoo Sugar R. Wharf—Tjisa- dane.

Lai Chi Kok—Fenncastle, Douglas Wharf—Selstan, Holt's Wharf—Teucer.

West Point Wharf—Ming Sang

DOCKS

Taikoo—Breconshire, Dardanus, Chinese Prince, Kwangtung, Kan- chow, Glenshiel and Nanning.

Kowloon—Mayon, Silveryew, Gertrude Maersk & Corregidor.

BUOYS

No. A 2—Cremor  
No. A 5—Anshun  
No. A 9—Sui Sang  
No. A10—Hong Sang  
No. A13—Kwelyang  
No. A15—Benledi  
No. A17—Unita  
No. B 2—Dahpu  
No. B 3—Szechuen  
No. B 4—Usire  
No. B 5—Lyeemoon

### HOME CRICKET

LONDON, June 21. (Renter)— Worcester won on the first in- nings against Warwick at Bir- mingham.

Worcester: 271 (Mayer 6 for 88) and 153 (Mayer 5 for 89).  
Warwick: 246 (Perks 4 for 55) and 70 for 1.

Middlesex beat Northants by seven wickets at Northampton. Northants: 222 (Stins 7 for 79) and 349 for 9 declared, (Timms 120 not out).

Middlesex: 280 and 288 for 3 (Robertson 144, Compton 111 not out).

Essex beat Surrey on the first innings at the Oval.

Essex: 156 and 249.  
Surrey: 110 and 146 for 5.  
Leicester drew with the West Indies tourists at Leicester.

West Indies: 187 (Smith 5 for 53) and 314 for 8.  
Leicester: 216 (Martindale 5 for 57).

The match between the M. C. C. and Cambridge University at Lord was drawn.

M. C. C.: 208 and 193.  
Cambridge U.: 197 (Watkins 5 for 31) and 133 for 6.

### UNCLAIMED

#### TELEGRAMS

The following is a list of un- claimed telegrams lying at the office of the Great Northern Tele- graph Co. (Ltd.):—

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Midan, from Shanghai.  
Kar c/o Chiu Hung Hei, 138, Argyle Street, from Shanghai.  
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## MONEY AND EXCHANGE

### CLOSING QUOTATIONS

June 21, 1939

On London:	Telegraphic Transfer, 1/8 11/16
Bank Bills, on demand/1/8 11/16	
Credits 4 months' sight 1/8 11/16	
On Shanghai:	On demand ..... 233
On Singapore:	On demand ..... 52 7/16
On Japan:	On demand ..... 104 3/4
On India:	Telegraphic Transfer, 1/8 7/8
and demand ..... 1/8 7/8	
On New York:	Bank Bills, on demand 58 5/8
Credits, 60 days' sight 1/8 1/8	
On Batavia:	On demand ..... 53 3/4
On Paris:	Bank Bills, on demand 1080
Credits 4 months' sight 1122	
On Saloon:	On demand ..... 107 3/4
On Manila:	On demand ..... 57 1/2
On Bangkok:	On demand ..... 151 1/4
Sterling Notes:	Bank Buying Rate ... 1/97/4
Bar Silver per oz. .... 19 1/8	

### Market Report

**FROM ROZA BROS**

Silver prices were lowered yesterday to the extent of 1/2 for Ready and 7/16 for Forward, the quotations being 19 1/8 and 18 15/16 respectively. Silver advances reported India and Speculators as having sold. There was absence of support. The market closed steady with India and America as buyers at the quoted rate. Sellers were reserved. America Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 468.25. New York/London was quoted at 468 1/4.

**Market**

Quiet.

**Sterling**

Business was done at 1/2.13/18 for cash. The market closed with sellers at 1/2.25/32 June/August, 1/2.3/4 September/October and 1/2.3/32 November/December, buyers at 1/2.13/18 Cash, 1/2.25/32 October, probably September and 1/2.3/4 December.

**U.S. Dollars**

Nothing doing. The market closed with sellers at 28 13/16 for June, probably July and 28 3/4 August, buyers at 28 15/16 for cash, 28 7/8 July and 28 13/16 August. A small business was done at 28 3/4 September.

**Shanghai Dollars**

Nominal 228.

**Shanghai Market**

Was closed to-day

**Shanghai Exchange**

Shanghai, June 21 (Reuter).

Open Market Rates

**Silver Duty Rate**

The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. to-day was 1/2-1/2d, unchanged from yesterday.

The Equalisation rate was not quoted.

**London Exchange**

London, June 20 (BWS).

Closing mean rates were:

Paris, 176-23/32.

New York, 488-9/32.

Montreal, 489-7/16.

Brussels, 27.534.

Geneva, 20.77.

Amsterdam, 8.82.

Milan, 89-1/16.

Berlin, 11.67.

Buenos Aires, 20.29.

Other rates were unchanged.

**India Rupee Paper**

Bombay, June 20 (Reuter).

Govt. 3 1/2 Rupee, 95-15-0.

**Calcutta Exchange**

Calcutta, June 20 (Reuter).

T.T. on Japan, 78-5/8

**New York Exchange**

New York, June 21 (Reuter).

T.T. on London (Opening Rate) 488-5/16

## SILVER MARKET

### LONDON SILVER

London, June 20 (Reuter).

Silver—Support absent on Indian and speculative sales. Market barely steady on the fall. In the afternoon, the market was steadier. India and American trade bought at the fixed rate to 1/16 over, but business was restricted by the reserve of sellers.

Spot, 19-1/8d.

Forward, 18-15/16d.

### NEW YORK SILVER

New York, June 20 (Reuter).

Official Price, 42-3/4.

### BOMBAY SILVER

Bombay, June 20 (Reuter).

Market—Quiet. Offtake 40 bars.

### Indian Mint Silver

Ready ..... 51-02

July 12 Settlement ..... 51-02

Aug. 11 Settlement ..... 50-15

## LONDON GOLD

London, June 20 (Reuter).

Bar Gold, Fine per oz., 149/5 1/2.

Dollar Parity, 1/2d. premium.

## LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, June 20 (Reuter).

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buyers sellers

Standard, Cash, 41-7/8 41-15/16

Standard, 3 months 42-3/16 42-1/4

Electrolytic ..... 47-1/4 48-1/4

### TIN

Standard, Cash 223-3/4 229

Standard, 3 months 225 225-1/4

### LEAD

Foreign.

Official Price 14-3/4 14-13/16

Foreign Official, 3 months 14-3/4 14-13/16

### SPELTER

Ordinary.

Official Price 14-1/16 14-3/16

Ordinary, Official, 3 months 14-1/4 14-5/16

### Final Afternoon Transactions

Tin, Standard, Cash, £223-3/4 paid and value.

Tin, Standard, 3 months £225 paid and sellers.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### QUOTATION

STOCKS	Last Sale	STOCKS	Last Sale
June 20	June 20	June 20	June 20
Adams Express .....	168	Int. Nickel .....	48 1/2
Allegheny Steel Co. ....	91	Int. Tel. & Tel. ....	6 1/2
Allied Stores .....	91	Johns Manville .....	75
Allis Chalmers .....	35	J. & Laughlin Steel 77 pfd.	44
Amerasia Corp. ....	68 1/2	Kennecott Copper .....	32 1/2
Amer. Can .....	92	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	46
Amer. & Foreign Power ..	21	Lockheed Aircraft .....	26 1/2
Amer. S'ing and R'ing Co.	193	Loew's Inc. ....	44 1/2
Amer. Gas & Elec. ....	35 1/2	Manhattan Shirt Co. ....	—
Amer. Locomotive .....	17 1/2	Martin, Glen L. ....	33 1/2
Amer. Metals Co. ....	31	McKesson; Robbins .....	13
Amer. Radiator .....	112	Monasanto Chemical .....	99 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill .....	13 1/2	Montgomery Ward .....	51 1/2
Amer. Sugar R'ing .....	16 1/2	Nat. Dairy Products .....	15 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel. ....	163 1/2	Nat. Distillers .....	25 1/2
Amer. Tobacco "B" .....	82	National Gypsum .....	11 1/2
Amer. Waterworks .....	92	National Lead .....	20 1/2
Anaconda Copper .....	24 1/2	Nat. Power & Light .....	8 1/2
Atchafson, T. & S. Fe. ....	28	National Steel Corp. ....	62
Auburn Motors .....	5	Nat. Supply Corp. ....	8
Baltimore & Ohio .....	13 1/2	New York Central .....	14 1/2
Barber Asphalt Co. ....	13 1/2	Niagara Hudson Power .....	6 1/2
Barnsdall Oil .....	23 1/2	N. American Aviation .....	15 1/2
Bendix Aviation .....	56 1/2	North American Co. ....	21 1/2
Bethlehem Steel .....	56 1/2	Northern Pacific .....	8 1/2
Bliss & Co. ....	9 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec. ....	31 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co. ....	22 1/2	Pacific Lighting .....	47 1/2
Borg-Warner .....	28 1/2	Packard Motors .....	34
Biggs Manufacturing .....	20 1/2	Paramount Pictures .....	9
Brooklyn-M'hattan Trans.	11 1/2	Pennsylvania R.R. ....	17 1/2
B'klyn-M'hattan \$6 cum pf.	40	Phelps-Dodge .....	34 1/2
Canadian Pacific R'way. ....	4 1/2	Phillips Petroleum .....	35 1/2
Case, J.I. ....	19 1/2	Public Service of N.J. ....	36 1/2
Celanese .....	33 1/2	Pullman Inc. ....	26 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio .....	33 1/2	Pure Oil .....	7 1/2
Chrysler Corp. ....	70	Radio Corp. of Am. ....	6
Columbia Gas & El. ....	84	Republic Steel .....	15 1/2
Columbia 8% "A" pf. ....	88	Reynold Tobac. "B" .....	39 1/2
Commercial .....	45 1/2	Richfield Oil .....	8 1/2
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	1 1/2	Safeway Stores .....	42 1/2
C'wealth & S. 6% cum pf.	64 1/2	Schenley Distillers .....	12 1/2
Consolidated Edison .....	31 1/2	Schenley, 5 1/2 pfd. ....	76 1/2
Consolidated Oil .....	37 1/2	Sears Roebuck .....	76 1/2
Continental Can .....	23	Seversky Aircraft .....	34
Corn Products .....	64	Shell Union Oil .....	11 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C.) .....	54	Socony-Vacuum Oil .....	11 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A" .....	25 1/2	Southern Pacific .....	13
Deere & Co. ....	19 1/2	Southern Ry 5 1/2 pfd. ....	21 1/2
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	18 1/2	Spartan .....	42 1/2
Douglas Aircraft .....	67 1/2	Standard Brands .....	6 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours .....	149 1/2	Stand Gas & Elec. ....	2 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead .....	84	Standard Oil of California	26
Eaton Mfg. Co. ....	23	Standard Oil of N.J. ....	42 1/2
Elec. Auto .....	32 1/2	Stone & Webster .....	11 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share .....	8 1/2	Swift International .....	20 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 5 1/2 pf.	58	Technicolor .....	15 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 5 1/2 pf.	65 1/2	Texas Corp. ....	38 1/2
Elec. Power & Light 7 1/2 pf.	20 1/2	Texas Gulf Sulphur .....	28 1/2
Flintkote .....	20 1/2	Trans-America Co. ....	5 1/2
Food Machinery Corp. ....	30	20th Cent. Fox .....	19 1/2
Gen. American Trans. ....	46	20th Cent. Fox 4 1/2 pf. ....	30
Gen. Electric .....	35 1/2	Union Carbide & Carbon ..	96 1/2
Gen. Motors .....	44 1/2	Union Pacific .....	96 1/2
Gen. Railway Signal .....	17	United Aircraft .....	37
General Tire & Rubber Co.	23	United Airlines Trans. ....	11
Gildden Co. ....	17 1/2	United Corp. ....	2 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.) .....	18	United Corp. 3 cum pf. ....	12
Goodrich 5 1/2 pf. ....	60	United Gas Corp. ....	12
Goodyear Tire & Co. ....	28 1/2	United Gas Improvement ..	12 1/2
Great Northern Iron Ore ..	14 1/2	U.S. Rubber .....	42 1/2
Great Northern Ry. 4 1/2 pf.	22	U.S. Rubber 5 1/2 pfd. ....	107 1/2
Great Western Sugar .....	25 1/2	U.S. Steel .....	47 1/2
Greyhound Corp. ....	18 1/2	Vanadium .....	20 1/2
Hecker Products .....	11 1/2	Warner Bros. Pict. ....	4 1/2
Homestake Mining .....	83 1/2	Westinghouse Elec. ....	106 1/2
Industrial Rayon .....	21	Woodward Iron Cor. ....	17 1/2
International Harvester ..	58 1/2	Chase National Bank .....	33 1/2
		National City Bank .....	26 1/2

### DOW JONES AVERAGE

1939	June 10, High	June 10, Low	June 10, Close	Change
High	134.4	134.4	134.4	1.17 up
Low	134.4	134.4	134.4	1.17 up
Close	134.4	134.4	134.4	1.17 up
Change	134.4	134.4	134.4	1.17 up
Commodity Index	49.36	49.36	49.36	0.07 up

## HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE	SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION
WED., 21. JUNE.	WED., 21. JUNE.
Buyers	Sellers
Bankers	Bankers
H.K. Bank .....	113.30
Do. (Col. Reg.) .....	281
Do. (Lon. Reg.) .....	279
Chartered Bank .....	271
Mercantile Bk. "A" .....	257
Mercantile Bk. "C" .....	213
Bank of East Asia .....	80 cts.
N. C. & S. Bank .....	80 cts.
Insurances	Insurances
Canton Insurance .....	395
Union Insurance .....	1.45
Underwriters	Underwriters
H.K. Fire .....	455
Shipping	Shipping
Douglas .....	367
Stamboat .....	115
Indo-China (Prof.) .....	350
Indo-China (Def.) .....	320
Shells .....	84 1/4
Waterboats .....	82
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.	Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.
H.K. & E. Wharves .....	110
Providentia (new) .....	11
H.K. & W. Docks .....	118.10
Do. (new) .....	108
Shanghai Docks & New Engineering S. Mining	108.30
Kailash .....	18/8
Hauba .....	84
Venezuela Gold Fids	4 cts.
Hong Kong Mines	84
Lands, Hotels and Buildings	Lands, Hotels and Buildings
H.K. Lands .....	57.40
H.K. Hotels .....	33 1/2
Venezuela Gold Fids	100 1/4
Shanghai Lands S. H.K. Realities	89.30
Humphreys .....	92
Chinese Estates .....	100
Cotton Mills	Cotton Mills
Ewo (S.) .....	320.30
S'hai Cottons (S.) .....	112
Zoong Sings (S.) .....	43
Wing On Textiles (S.)	48 1/2
Public Utilities	Public Utilities
Tramways .....	118.35
Peak Tram (old) .....	7.40
Peak Tram (new) .....	3.70
Star Ferries .....	86
Yimati Ferries .....	124
Do. (new) .....	92
China Lights (O) .....	5.20
China Lights (New) .....	5.20
China Lights (H.K. Electric)	55 1/2
H.K. Electric .....	55 1/2
Macao Electric .....	55 1/2
Sandakan Lights .....	55 1/2
Telephones (old) .....	55 1/2
Telephones (new) .....	55 1/2
Traction .....	55 1/2
Traction (prof.) .....	55 1/2
Industrials	Industrials
Cald, Macg. (Ord.) S. Cald, Macg. (Prof.) S. Canton Iron	11.10
Canton Iron .....	11.30
Cement .....	11.30
Ropes .....	11.30
Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous
Dairy Farm (Old) .....	33
Dairy Farm (New) .....	31
Ch. Steamships .....	31
Constructions (old) .....	31
Constructions (new) .....	31
Lane Crawfords .....	31
Nanyang Tobacco .....	31
Sincere .....	31
Watsons .....	31
Ch. G. 5% 1926 G. Bds. H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	104
H.K. Govt. 4% Loans .....	104
H.K. Wing On .....	104
Shai Wing On .....	104
Wing On .....	104
Paramount Pictures .....	104
Marmans Inv. (H.K.) .....	104
Wm. Powell .....	104
*Sales to Shanghai	*Sales to Shanghai

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### (REUTER'S SERVICE)

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

STOCKS	STOCKS
June 20	June 20
War Loan 3 1/2 (Red after 1952) .....	94-13/16
Canton-K'loon Ry. 5% .....	15
Chinese 4 1/2 Gold Loan, 1898 (Brit. Issue) .....	54
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47 .....	54
Chin. 4 1/2 Anglo-French Loan, 1908 .....	44
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912 .....	25
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.) .....	38
Chinese 5% Star. Notes, 1925 (Vickers) .....	13 1/2
Chin. Imperial Ry. 5% Loan .....	55
Honan Ry. 5% .....	18
Hukuang Ry. 5% 1911 .....	18
Hukuang Ry. 5% 1911 (German Issue) .....	16
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Ry. 5% .....	15
Shai-N'king Ry. 5% .....	20
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd.) .....	13
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (German Stpd.) .....	13
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan) ..	13
Jap. 5% Star. Loan, 1907 ..	34
Jap. 5% Star. Loan, 1924 ..	35
Chartered Bank .....	71
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Reg.) .....	73
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Cal. Reg.) .....	81
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer) .....	18 1/2
Chosen Corporation .....	5
Pekin Syndicate .....	25
S'hai Elec. Constr. Co. ....	25
S'hai Waterworks "A" .....	19 1/2
Union Insurance .....	30 1/2
Gula Kalumpung Rubber .....	13 1/2
Allied Ironfounders .....	18
Asso. & Elec. Industries ..	39
Austin Motors, ord. ....	30/104
Cable & Wireless, New Form, ord. ....	52
B.-A. Tob. (bearer) .....	97/6
Cammell Laird, ord. ....	7/3
Mexican Eagle .....	8
Courtaulds .....	28/3
Distillers .....	84
Dunlop Rubber .....	27/6
Bristol Aeroplane .....	75/6
Guinness (A) Son & Co. ....	107/8
Hawker Siddeley Air. ....	17/9
Imperial Chemical Ind. ....	30/9
Imperial Tobacco .....	130
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	67 1/2
Rolls Royce .....	106/3
Leyland Motors .....	91/3
Tate & Lyle .....	62/7 1/2
Turner & Newall .....	78/11 1/2
United Steel .....	23/10 1/2
Smithwick Drop Forge .....	6/5
Armstrong Stevens, ord. ....	18
Pressed Steel, com. ....	18
Vickers, ord. ....	18/9
Woolworths .....	63/1 1/2
Anglo-Dutch .....	24/10 1/2
Rub. Plant. Invest. Trust ..	3/3
Burns Corporation .....	8/3
Commonwealth Mining .....	1
Maraman Investments .....	14/3
Handfontein Estates .....	29/1 1/2
Western Holdings .....	12/7 1/2
Sub-Nigel .....	216/3











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BOMBAY via Singapore &amp; Colombo.

\* NAGATO MARU 2nd July

ANTO MARU 2nd July

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## SHIPPING

## DUE TO-DAY

Hal Hing, Norwegian, 1,445 regis-  
tered tons Capt. E. R. Hannaverg  
from Straits 7 a.m. at buoy No. B?—  
Thorsen & Co. (Tel. 30237).Ying Chow, British, 1,216 regis-  
tered tons Capt. G. P. Cooke from  
Tientsin and Swatow a.m. at buoy  
No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).Athos II, French, 8,947 registered  
tons Capt. Baudet from Japan and  
S'hal noon at K'loon Wharf—M.M.  
(Tel. 25561).Pres. Cleveland, American, 8,007  
regd. tons Capt. H. Nelson from  
U.S.A. Honolulu and Japan 10 a.m.  
at K'loon Wharf—A.P.L. (Tel.  
28171).E Sang, British, 2,055 registered  
tons Capt. S. Schofield from S'hal  
and Swatow a.m. at buoy No. B?—  
J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).Sikiang, French, 3,848 registered  
tons Capt. Mignoni from S'hal 11  
a.m. at K'loon Wharf—M. M. (Tel.  
26651).Sui Yang, British, 1,594 registered  
tons Capt. W. G. McKenzie from  
S'hal and Swatow a.m. at buoy No.  
B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).Ranpura, British, 9,331 registered  
tons Capt. Parfitt from Japan  
and S'hal 6 p.m. at K'loon Wharf  
—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).ARRIVED  
YESTERDAYKitano Maru, Japanese, 4,928 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Fukuda from  
Australia and Manila at buoy No.  
A4—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).Emp. of Russia, British, 8,789 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Thomas from  
Manila at Kowloon Wharf—  
C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).Boisval, Dutch, 8,669 registered  
tons Capt. Blankstein from  
Straits at Kowloon Wharf  
—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).Neptuna, British, 3,907 registered  
tons Capt. Duddell from Rabaul  
& Manila at Kowloon Wharf—  
Gibb Livingston & Co. (Tel. 28031).Lyemmoon, British, 1,734 regis-  
tered tons Capt. E. Holmes from  
Saigon at buoy No. B5—Wo  
Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).Shun Chih, British, 1,173 regis-  
tered tons Capt. W. Lee from K.C.  
Wan at buoy No. B6—Wo Fat  
Sing. (Tel. 20005).Hong Sang, British, 2,140 regis-  
tered tons Capt. D. M. Cole from  
Swatow at buoy No. A10—  
Ho Hong & Co. (Tel. 26127).Benvenue, British, 3,750 regis-  
tered tons Capt. Struth from Europe  
and Straits at Kowloon Wharf  
—W. R. Loxley & Co. (Tel. 34165).Tai Yuan, British, 2,100 registered  
tons Capt. J. D. Fraser from  
S'hal, Amoy and Swatow at buoy  
No. B20—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).Chitral, British, 8,772 registered  
tons Capt. C. W. Pocock from Eu-  
rope and Singapore at Kowloon  
Wharf—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).Santhia, British, 4,841 registered  
tons Capt. K. S. McLennan from  
Calcutta and Straits at Kow-

## DUE TO-MORROW

Chekiang, British, 1,313 regis-  
tered tons Capt. D. Brothie from  
Haiphong and Holhow a.m. at  
buoy No. B?—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).Atuta Maru, Japanese, 4,940 regis-  
tered tons Capt. H. Itani from  
Japan a.m. at buoy No. A?—N.Y.K.  
(Tel. 30291).Oder, German, 5,329 registered  
tons Capt. K. V. Nathan from Eu-  
rope and Straits a.m. at Kowloon  
Wharf—Melchers & Co. (Tel.  
27722).SAILING  
TO-MORROWEmp. of Russia, British, 8,789 regis-  
tered tons Capt. J. W. Thomas  
from K'loon Wharf for S'hal, Ja-  
pan and Vancouver 7 a.m.—C.P.S.  
(Tel. 20752).Hal Hing, British, 1,445 regis-  
tered tons Capt. E. R. Hannaverg  
from buoy No. B? for Swatow & Amoy  
p.m.—Thorsen & Co. (Tel. 30237).Tai Yuan, British, 2,100 registered  
tons Capt. J. D. Fraser for Swa-  
tow and S'hal 5 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel.  
30331).Tinhow, British, 3,164 registered  
tons Capt. Aydon from buoy No.  
B25 for Saigon, Mauritius and  
South Africa p.m.—Bank Line.  
(Tel. 27791).Fau Sang, British, 1,232 regis-  
tered tons Capt. O. B. Smith from  
buoy No. B9 for Swatow, S'hal,  
Chefoo and Tientsin 2 p.m.—J. M. &  
Co. (Tel. 30311).Man Sang, British, 2,063 regis-  
tered tons Capt. P. Jowitt from  
buoy No. B22 for Sandakan 10 a.m.  
—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).Tijlsadane, Dutch, 5,780 regis-  
tered tons Capt. J. Naerebout from  
K'loon Bay for Amoy and S'hal 10  
a.m.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).Pres. Cleveland, American, 8,007  
regd. tons Capt. H. Nelson from  
K'loon Wharf for Manila 1 a.m.—  
A.P.L. (Tel. 28171).Atuta Maru, Japanese, 4,940 regis-  
tered tons Capt. E. Itani from  
buoy No. A? for Sydney & Mel-  
bourne via Manila, Davao, Thurs-  
day Island, Brisbane p.m.—N.Y.K.  
(Tel. 30291).Hong Sang, British, 2,140 regis-  
tered tons Capt. D. M. Cole from  
buoy No. A10 for Spore, Penang &  
Rangoon p.m.—Ho Hong & Co.  
(Tel. 20093).loon Wharf—M. M. & Co. (Tel.  
27721).Friderun, German, 1,470 regis-  
tered tons Capt. G. Bloem from Ma-  
dang and Rabaul at Kowloon  
Wharf—Melchers & Co. (Tel.  
27722).Seistan, British, 1,571 registered  
tons Capt. R. C. Creer from Swa-  
tow at Douglas Wharf—Douglas &  
Co. (Tel. 28037).Hellas, Norwegian, 1,114 regis-  
tered tons Capt. J. L. A. Nilsen from  
Bangkok and Swatow at buoy

## SAILING TO-DAY

Shun Chih, British, 1,173 regis-  
tered tons Capt. W. Lee from  
buoy No. B6 for K. C. Wan p.m.—  
Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).Gertrude Maersk, Danish, 3,154  
regd. tons Capt. Larssen from  
K'loon Dock for Manila and Iloilo  
p.m.—Jensen & Co. (Tel. 31205).Szechuen, British, 1,584 regis-  
tered tons Capt. A. Cook from buoy  
No. B3 for Ohnanchow, Amoy and  
S'hal 5 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).Boisval, Dutch, 8,669 registered  
tons Capt. Blankstein from  
K'loon Wharf for S'hal 9 a.m.—J.C.J.  
Line. (Tel. 28015).Ming Sang, British, 2,025 regis-  
tered tons Capt. C. M. Cater from  
West Point Wharf for Haiphong 5  
p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 39311).Sui Sang, British, 2,208 regis-  
tered tons Capt. M. Costello from  
buoy No. A9 for Spore, Penang &  
Calcutta 3 p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel.  
30311).Athos II, French, 8,947 registered  
tons Capt. Baudet from Kowloon  
Wharf for Saigon, Spore & Mar-  
seilles 9 p.m.—M. M. (Tel. 26851).Hareldawins, British, 651 regis-  
tered tons Capt. J. E. Harvey from  
buoy No. C1 for K. C. Wan p.m.—  
Tai Ping & Co. (Tel. 20093).Chitral, British, 8,772 registered  
tons Capt. C. W. Pocock from Kow-  
loon Wharf for S'hal and Japan  
noon—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).Cremer, Dutch, 2,770 registered  
tons Capt. Ahlers from buoy No.  
A2 for Spore, Penang, Belowan  
Deli 8 a.m.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel.  
28015).Sikiang, French, 3,848 registered  
tons Capt. Mignoni from K'loon  
Wharf for Haiphong and Dunkirk  
p.m.—M.M. (Tel. 26851).Unita, Norwegian, 2,345 regis-  
tered tons Capt. O. Jensen from buoy  
No. A17 for Spore and Penang p.m.  
—K. Larssen & Co. (Tel. 26998).Santhia, British, 4,841 registered  
tons Capt. K. S. McLennan from  
K'loon Wharf for S'hal and Japan  
9 a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).SAILED  
YESTERDAYCanton Maru for Canton  
Muhnam for Saigon  
Bellerophon for Spore  
Cormetille for Haiphong  
Wo Sang for Swatow  
Yochow for Swatow  
Tai Poo Sek for K. C. Wan  
Kitano Maru for Kobe  
Glennam for Shanghai  
Hal Ching for SwatowNo. B11—Thorsen & Co. (Tel.  
30237).India, British, 276 registered  
tons Capt. W. F. O'Farrell from  
Swatow at Hoi On Wharf—Fook  
Pong & Co. (Tel. 24965).Michael Jensen, Danish, 1,343 re-  
gistered tons Capt. K. Nielsen from  
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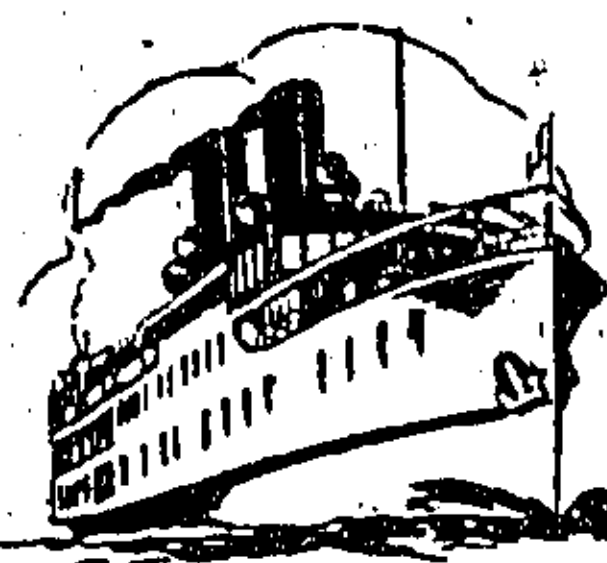
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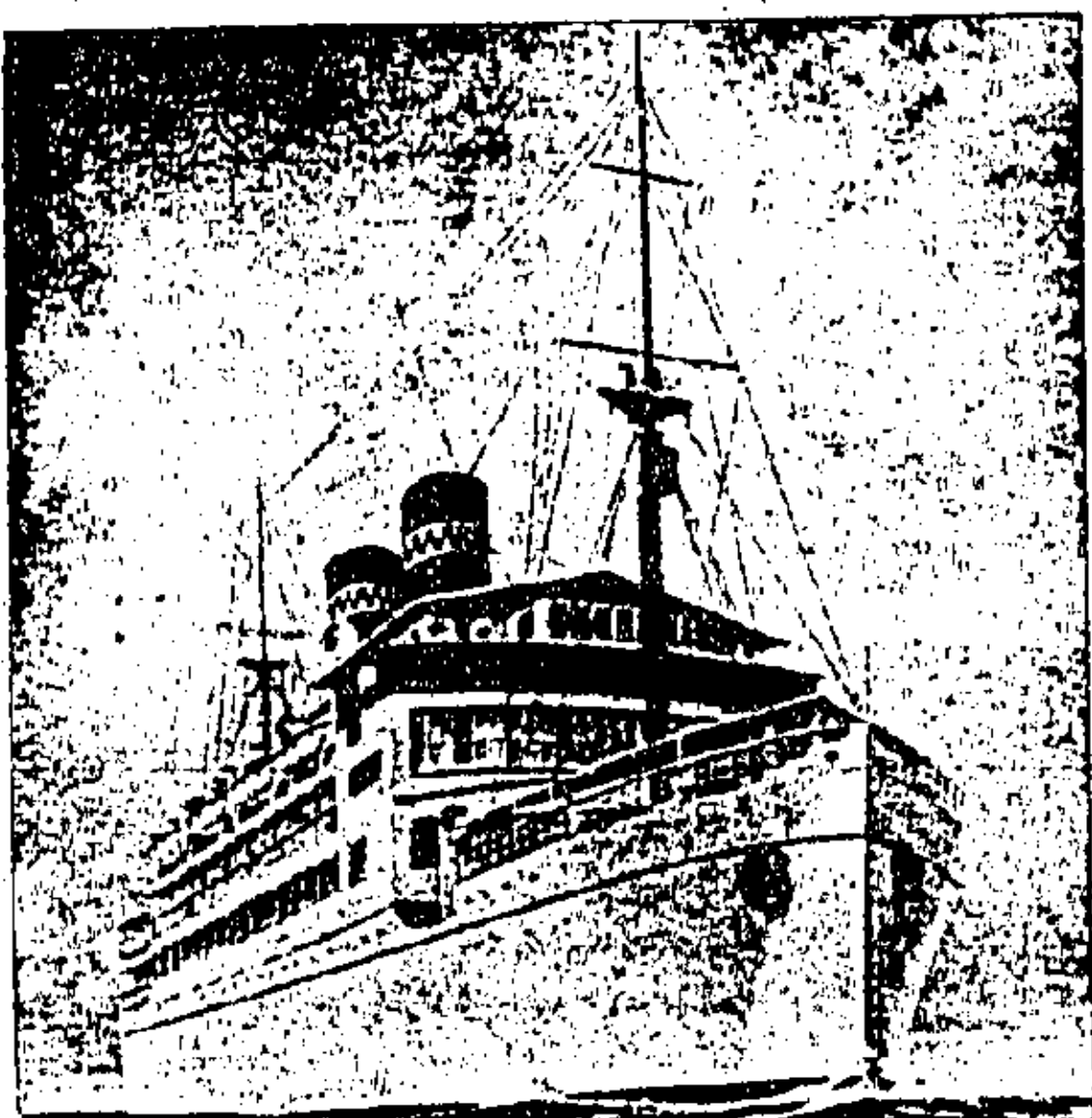
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## WIMBLEDON CHAMPIONSHIPS

## HOAHING HAS DIFFICULT TASK IN INITIAL ROUND

## Seeded Players Announced: Menzel And Kho Sin-kie Appear In Same Quarter

LONDON, June 21 (Reuter)—The Wimbledon Lawn Tennis championships will begin on June 26.

Seeded players are as follows:—  
Men's Singles:—H. W. Austin (Great Britain), Bobby Riggs, McNeil (United States), Panco (Yugoslavia), Henkel (Germany), Cook (United States), Roderick Menzel (Germany) and Tloczynski (Poland).

Women's Singles:—Alice Marble and Helen Jacobs (United States), Mrs. Sperling (Denmark), Madame Mathieu (France), Mlle. Jedzejowska (Poland), Katherine Stammers and Mary Hardwick (Great Britain) and Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fry (United States).

In the women's singles draw, the little Chinese girl, Gem Hoahing, has a difficult task in the first round when she meets Mrs. Sperling, a former finalist, Miss Alice Marble appears in the same quarter.

In the first round of the men's singles Ho, of China, meets Drobny, of Bohemia and Moravia, in the first quarter in which there is also Austin.

W. H. Choy, of China, will be opposed to Egan, the Irish Davis Cupper, in the second quarter of the draw in which there are McNeil, the winner of the French championship, and Henner Henkel, of Germany. Kho Sin-kie, the China Davis Cup player and winner of the British Hardcourt title, will meet Gunn, of Great Britain, in the third quarter in which there also appears Menzel.

The draw in the first round of the men's doubles has resulted in Kho Sin-kie and Lytleton Rogers,

the Irish Davis Cupper, meeting McNeil, of America, who is partnered by Smith, of Britain, while Ho (China) and Bayley (Britain) will be opposed to Edwards and Morton, also of Great Britain.

In the draw for the mixed doubles, Kho Sin-kie and Miss Wood, of Great Britain, receive a bye into the second round where they will meet Davis and Mrs. Knight (Britain). Hughan (Holland) and Miss Hoshing, also receive a bye and will meet J. S. Ollif and Jean Nicoll (Britain) in the second round.



GEM HOAHING

## COUNTY CRICKET SCOREBOARD

LONDON, June 21 (Reuter)—Latest County cricket scores are as follow:—

Leicester 52 for 2 v. Derby; Hampshire 67 for 3 v. Essex; Gloucestershire v. Cambridge 23 for 1 (rain stopped play); Lincolnshire 120 v. West Indies; Somersetshire 43 for 0 v. Kent (rain stopped play); Surrey v. Oxford, (no play owing to rain); Sussex 80 for 3 v. Notts; Worcester 69 v. Lancashire; Yorkshire v. Glamorgan 54 for 1.

## BASEBALL NOTES:

## REVIEW OF LAST WEEK'S GAMES: LEAGUE POSITION UNCHANGED: A PROTEST

BY R. O. Y.

The League standings were unaffected by the week-end baseball matches which resulted as generally expected. The Union Brewers retained the leadership when they chalked up their fourth straight win on Sunday, with a runaway victory over the Hongkong Baseballers, who were visibly affected by their strenuous game against the Chinese Baseballers, on the previous day.

The Chinese remained in second position, one full game behind the Brewers and half a game ahead of the Mindanao gang who have played one game less.

South China are a split game ahead of Recreio, who chalked up their first points of the season, but which are dependant upon the decision of the Arbitration Board which will consider the protest lodged by South China in the match which they lost to the Portuguese boys by 10 runs to 5. The Club are hopelessly behind in the cellar position, having lost all four of their fixtures played.

In Saturday's match, between the Club and the Chinese, "Doc" Molthen started Bill Smith on the mound, intending to hold Larry Lawrence over for their game against the Brewers; but, after doing quite well for 3 stanzas, Smith unaccountably lost all semblance of control and walked three batters in a row. Lawrence was rushed into the box to finish that frame without further damage, but in the fourth, Molthen muffed Choy's hot grounder with two away.

Taking full advantage of this let-off, the Chinese sluggers came to light with three doubles and two singles to rush 8 markers across the pan. Except for a flurry in the second frame, when Higgins belted a rousing triple to chase in Lawrence and Billy Clague the club hitters never threatened and had a meagre total of 4 bingles to their credit when the game ended.

The brightest thing done by the Club fielders was the most brilliant catch of the season, which Clague held to dispose of Wally Ching in the final inning.

Much Closer Game  
The Recreio-South China game was much closer than the scores indicate; although the Portuguese boys finished with a five run margin, Nam Wah battled all the way, but wasted numerous scoring chances by faulty base running, which allowed Recreio to pull off a double killing in the first inning and the first triple play of the season in the fifth.

The losers actually out-hit the winners by 10 bingles to 8, while errors were even with 3 apiece.

South China's protest came in the fourth stanza when Sze-to, first up, walked and advanced on catcher's wild throw. Ho batted grounder to Pereira who elected to make the play on Sze-to who was advancing to third. Sze-to and Johnny Alvarez to be called safe by the base umpire, only to be de-

clared out by the umpire-in-chief. Base umpire stuck to his decision and play was resumed with Sze-to holding third.

Wong fanned for first out, Ho having in the meantime advanced to second. With Wu at bat, a passed ball allowed Sze-to to cross plate, despite being declared out by plate umpire, Ho taking third. Wu grounded out Alves to Barros, whereupon umpire-in-chief declared inning completed.

South China base their protest, on the grounds that the chief umpire had no authority to over-rule the base umpire's decision, in which case they did not complete their fourth inning.

The league has appointed Johnny Mayhew, "Doc" Molthen and Ernie Heather all three of whom "know their baseball," to make a final decision, so both squads can be sure of getting a square deal.

## No Pilot

The Club team which faced the Union Brewers, was even weaker than the squad which did duty against the Chinese, "Doc" Molthen was unable to turn out and, with Heather also an absentee, the Baseballers were without a pilot.

Lawrence worked like a trojan on the mound for 5 innings, but, with his fielders committing 10 errors, could do little to keep the Union Brewers from scoring at will. Bill Smith took over in the sixth, but fared little better, 4 tallies being garnered in the final two frames.

Bill had an opportunity of saving the whitewash in the third stanza, when he reached third base, but fell asleep to be nailed at the plate after Baptista had got to first on Lingenbrink's bad throw to Terry Leonard. The Brewers scored their 23 tallies on only 12 hits, but with the 24 bases that they pilfered, they didn't need hits to score.

The Club batters connected for 3 bingles in this tilt, to bring their week-end total to 7 hits and 2 runs in two games.

## The League Standings

Won Lost Pctg.  
Union Brewers 4 0 1.000  
Chinese Baseballers 3 1 .750  
U.S.B. Mindanao 2 1 .666  
South China A.A. 1 2 .333  
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Japan	Nankin	28th June
Tientsin and Swatow	Chengtu	28th June
Japan	Tiawa	29th June
Tientsin and Swatow	Hupoh	30th June
Straits	Hakone Maru	30th June
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